

Krider's
**"GLORIES OF
 THE GARDEN"**

(TRADE MARK REG.)

for Spring 1956

Our 61st Year

GRANDIFLORAS! THREE NEW ROSES — A BRAND NEW CLASS!

The new GRANDIFLORA class provides a combination of the good qualities of the Floribundas and the size of the Hybrid Teas. Strong, sturdy, upright growers, resistant to drouth and insects. Positively amazing in both quantity and quality of blooms. There's nothing better—plant **Grandifloras** and have the newest.

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 For Full
 Descriptions
 of Front
 Cover Roses

2193 Buccaneer—Pat. No. 1119
 \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, Postpaid

2256 FRONT COVER ROSE COLLECTION

3 One of each of these three
 new GRANDIFLORAS shown
 on this cover **\$7.00**
 Postpaid

2313 Roundelay
 (Pat. No. 1280)
 \$2.75 each;
 3 for \$7.20

2312 Queen
 Elizabeth
 (Pat. No. 1259)
 AARS 1955
 \$2.75 each;
 3 for \$7.20

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 NURSERIES, Inc.**
 — THE HOME OF GOOD
 ROSES —
MIDDLEBURY, IND.

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2195
Chrysler
Imperial
\$2.50 each;
3 for \$6.60

EVERBLOOMING

WORLD'S FINEST VARIETIES

2-YR., No. 1, FIELD-GROWN and BUDED

2310 BLANCHE MALLERIN

(Plant Pat. No. 594). This is that rare beauty, a pure white, fragrant Hybrid Tea Rose. Blooms are as white as alabaster, with a live, satiny sheen. 3½ to 4 inches across. We have yet to find a white Rose to equal Blanche Mallerin. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.



2310
Blanche
Mallerin
Pat. No. 594
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25

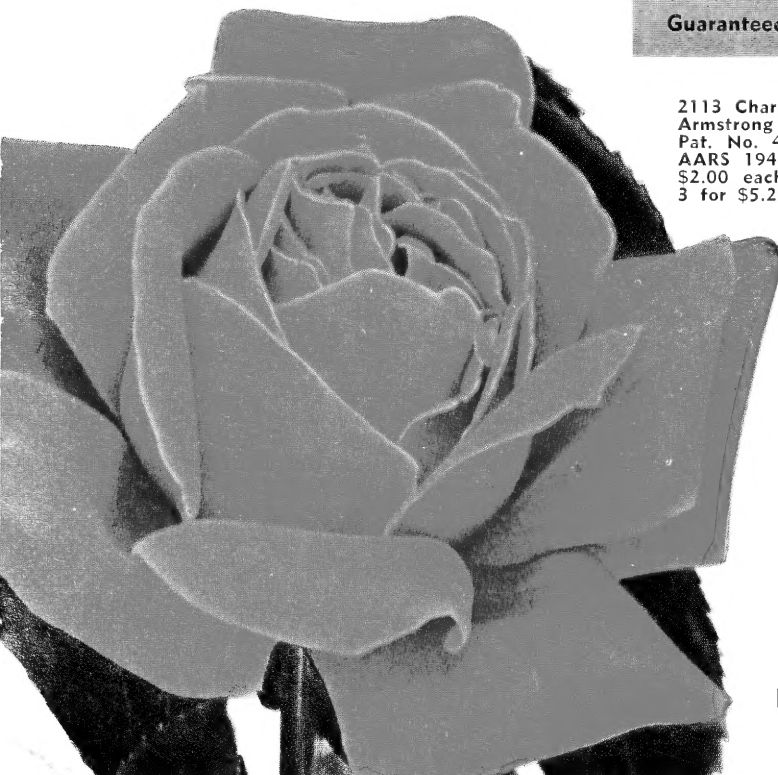
2195 CHRYSLER IMPERIAL

AARS 1953 (Patent No. 1167)

Vivid, rich crimson with blood-red overtones. Retains its color in adverse weather. Long tapering buds open into huge, double, fragrant blooms. Bush grows compact and shapely. Heavy dark green disease resistant foliage. 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, postpaid.

2113 CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

A real Rose aristocrat that produces a profusion of richly scented coral-rose blooms on erect, vigorous growing plants. Foliage is rich green and abundant. Stems are long and wiry, perfect support to exquisite blooms. Long, pointed buds unfold slowly. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.



2113 Charlotte
Armstrong
Pat. No. 455
AARS 1949
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25

2240 ROSE COLLECTION

4 One of each of the four
superb everblooming Roses
shown on this page.

A \$9.00 value, **\$7.90**
postpaid

Guaranteed to Grow and Bloom

2117 PEACE

Winner of ribbons in all shows. Perhaps the greatest Rose of our generation. Soft yellow with edges of blended orchid. Many shadings show at the same time at various stages of opening. Excellent foliage. Sturdy and vigorous in growth and bloom. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, postpaid.

2117
Peace
AARS 1946
Pat. No. 591
\$2.50 each;
3 for \$6.60



Hybrid Tea ROSES

FOR AMERICA'S HOMES

GUARANTEED TO GROW and BLOOM

2101 SUTTER'S GOLD

1950-'51 AARS Winner—Bagatelle Gold Medal Winner—Geneva Gold Medal Winner. Noted for its long-pointed, bright yellow buds, richly shaded with orange and red. Gorgeous high centered, fully double blooms have an exotic fragrance. Sturdy and dependable. **\$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00, postpaid.**

2101
Sutter's Gold
AARS '50-'51
(Pat. No. 885)
\$2.25 each;
3 for \$6.00

2185
Helen
Traubel
(Pat. No. 1028)
AARS 1952
\$2.50 each;
3 for \$6.60



2185 HELEN TRAUBEL

Another new introduction which was the AARS Winner in 1952. Lovely shadings of rich coppery pink in buds and blooms. Excellent grower with fine habits. Prolific producer of finest quality flowers. **\$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60.**

2303 PRESIDENT EISENHOWER

New and brilliant! Large, double blooms of brightest red open from beautiful long buds. One of the best for cutting as stems are long and flowers are freely produced. Hardy, sturdy, vigorous. **\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.**

2248 ROSE COLLECTION

4 One of each of these four favorites in fine Roses. Note the top varieties. A \$9.50 value, **\$8.35** postpaid for
Guaranteed to Grow and Bloom

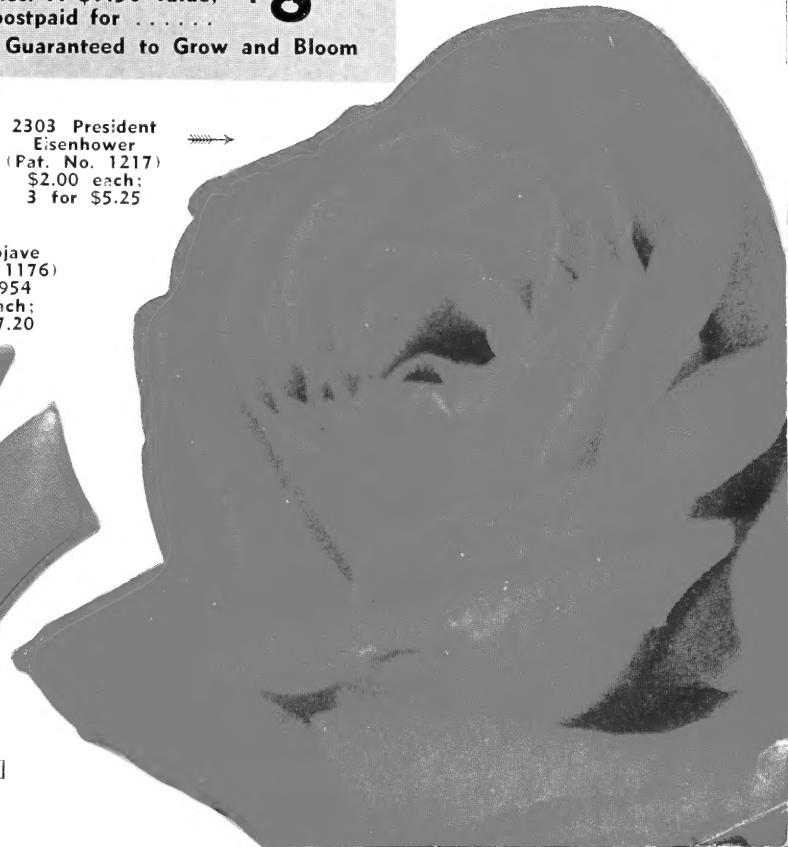
ALL ROSES ARE POSTPAID

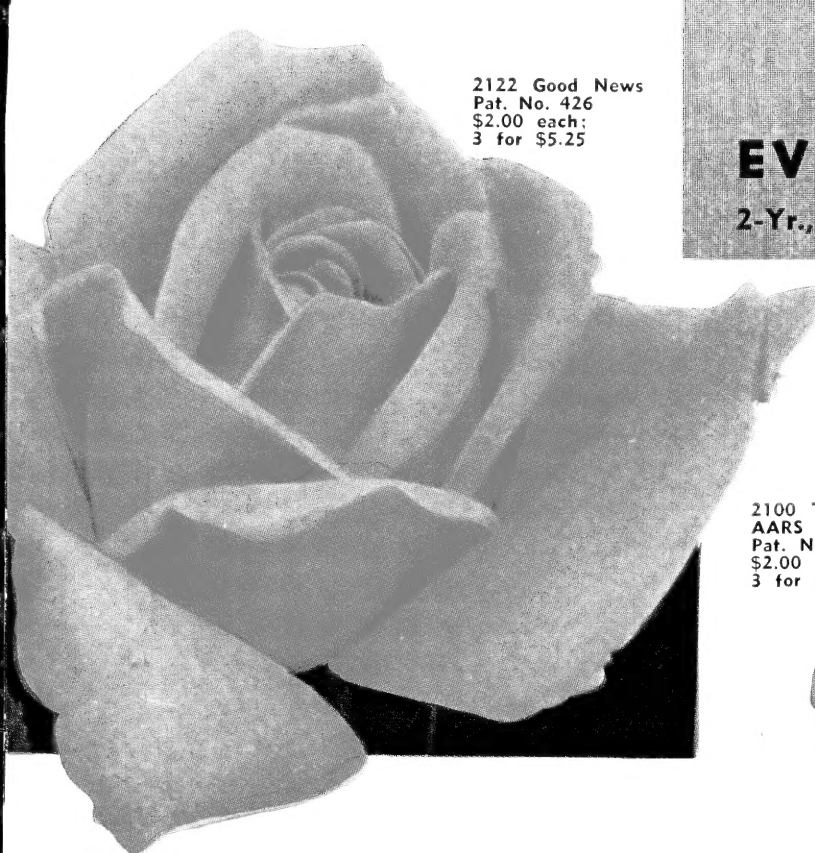
2197 MOJAVE

Named for California's famous desert, the finest orange colored Rose yet introduced. The outstanding feature of Mojave is the amazing number of long budded stems it produces and is so vigorous, hardy and free blooming. Certain to please and satisfy every Rose buyer. **2-yr., No. 1 plants, each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.20.**

2197 Mojave
(Pat. No. 1176)
AARS 1954
\$2.75 each;
3 for \$7.20

2303 President
Eisenhower
(Pat. No. 1217)
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25





2122 Good News
Pat. No. 426
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25

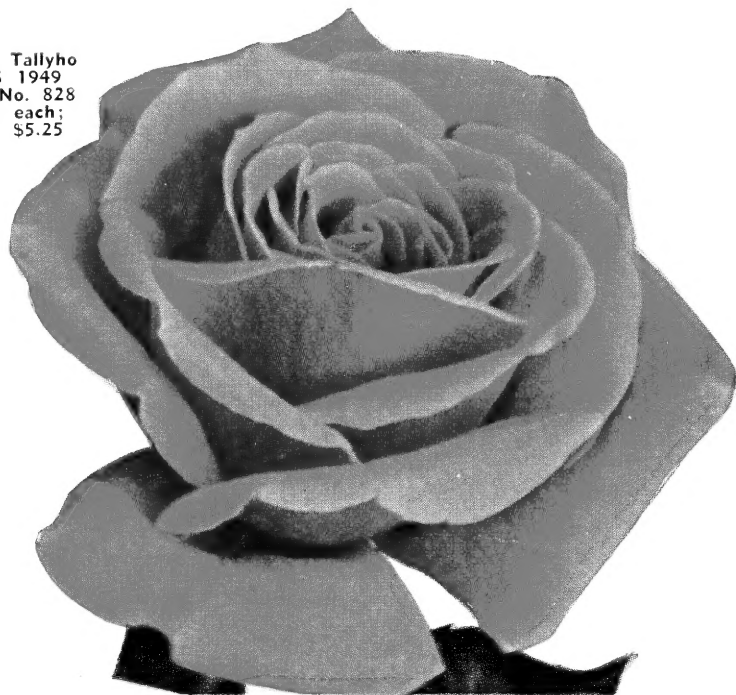
FOUR SPLENDID EVERBLOOMING ROSES

2-Yr., No. 1, Field-Grown, Guaranteed to Grow for You

2122 GOOD NEWS

Buds are deep copper-pink and open into gorgeous, large, double blooms with a coppery center blending to shell-pink on the outer petals. Richly fragrant. Blooms almost continuously throughout the summer and fall until freezing weather. Sturdy, healthy plants with fine foliage and habits. A truly fine Hybrid Tea. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

2100 Tallyho
AARS 1949
Pat. No. 828
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25



2100 TALLYHO

Deep old rose with a rich fragrance. Does well in all sections in both growth and bloom. Long buds open slowly making it excellent for cutting. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

2184 NEW YORKER

Often labeled the best Rose of all time. Beautifully formed buds and blooms of large size. Color is a brilliant unfading red which stands out like a beacon in the garden. Splendid in growth. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

2120 MIRANDY

Huge buds of deep crimson unfold slowly into giant blooms. When cut in bud is unexcelled for arrangements due to slow opening. A vigorous grower and produces freely. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

ROSES SHOULD BE PLANTED JUST AS EARLY AS HOLES CAN BE DUG IN SPRING. FREEZES AFTER SETTING WILL NOT HURT IN THE LEAST. THEY MUST GET NEW ROOTS GROWING TO PUT OUT NEW TOP GROWTH.

2249 ROSE COLLECTION

4 One of each of these splendid time-proven Roses. A real \$8.00 value and a lot for your money. Postpaid **\$7.00**
Guaranteed to Grow and Bloom

See Page 12 for How to Grow Roses

See Page 47 for
\$2.00
Premium Offer



2120 Mirandy
AARS 1945
Pat. No. 632
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25

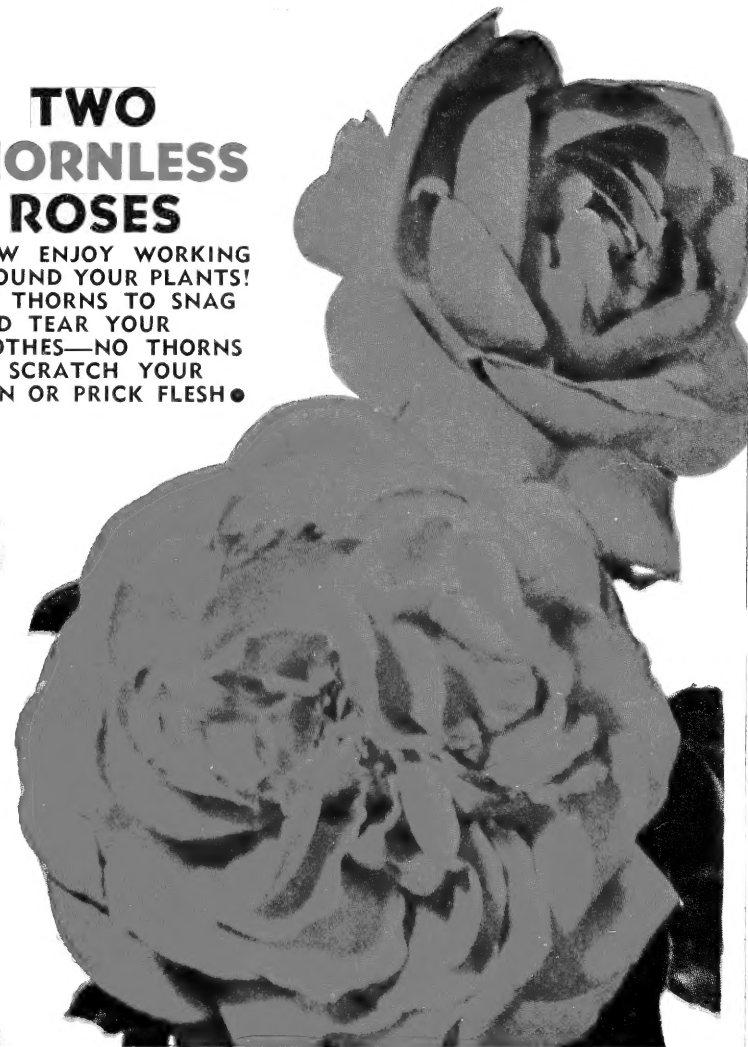


2184
New Yorker
Pat. No. 823
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25



TWO THORNLESS ROSES

● NOW ENJOY WORKING AROUND YOUR PLANTS! NO THORNS TO SNAG AND TEAR YOUR CLOTHES—NO THORNS TO SCRATCH YOUR SKIN OR PRICK FLESH ●



2126 Evangeline
Thornless
White Rose

No. 2126

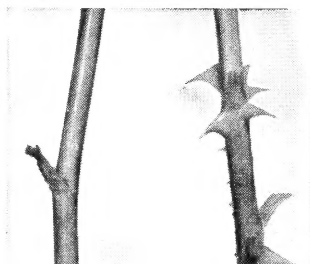
"Evangeline"

Della Lomax's Sport of Dudley Cross

Thornless White Rose

Blooms are of medium size, double and fragrant. Color is rather elusive of description as the buds have a distinct deep pink color outside but as they open the inside of the petals are a creamy white with a blended pink blush on the outer edges. If you want something a bit different in Roses you will appreciate this one.

Nice 2-Yr., Field-Grown and Budded, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90; 6 for \$7.50
Postpaid



At left a section of stem of "Festival," the Thornless Rose, with leaf stems left on. At right a section of stem of regular Rose.

"FESTIVAL" PRICES

Each \$1.50
3 for \$3.90
6 for \$7.50
Postpaid

No. 2127 *"Festival"*

Plant Pat.
545

THE ROSE WITHOUT THORNS

The first and only good thornless red hybrid Tea Rose. Truly the marvel of the age in Rose development. Brightest red color, will bloom six weeks after planting. Imagine cutting an armload of blooms and not having a single thorn to prick your fingers or arms. An everblooming Rose, producing fragrant double blooms from June until freezing weather. FESTIVAL THE \$10,000.00 ROSE. This amount was paid for patent and worth all of it. We guarantee your satisfaction. Try it in your garden.

EVERBLOOMING PEONY FLOWERING TEA ROSE—VIGOROUS AND HARDY

2114 "STRATFORD"

Originated from a cross between two historical Roses, the noted LaFrance and the beloved Marechal Nél. Named Stratford, commemorating the birth place of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

The color of the Rose is a lustrous pink, heavily shaded with salmon. The form is somewhat quartered, reminiscent of the Roses that probably grew a century or more ago in the gardens at Stratford, Virginia. Its blooms are intensely fragrant and borne on long stems, opening into large blooms so extremely double that there scarcely seems to be room for all the petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90; 6 for \$7.50, postpaid.

2238 ROSE COLLECTION

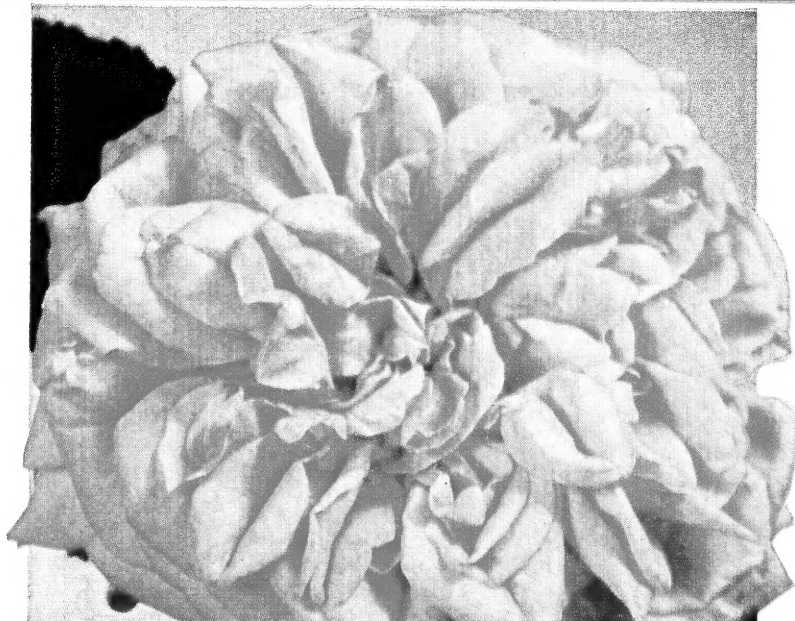
3 One of each of the three fine Roses shown on this page—will give you loads of blooms all summer long.

A \$4.50 value

\$3.90

for only

ALL ROSES SENT PREPAID



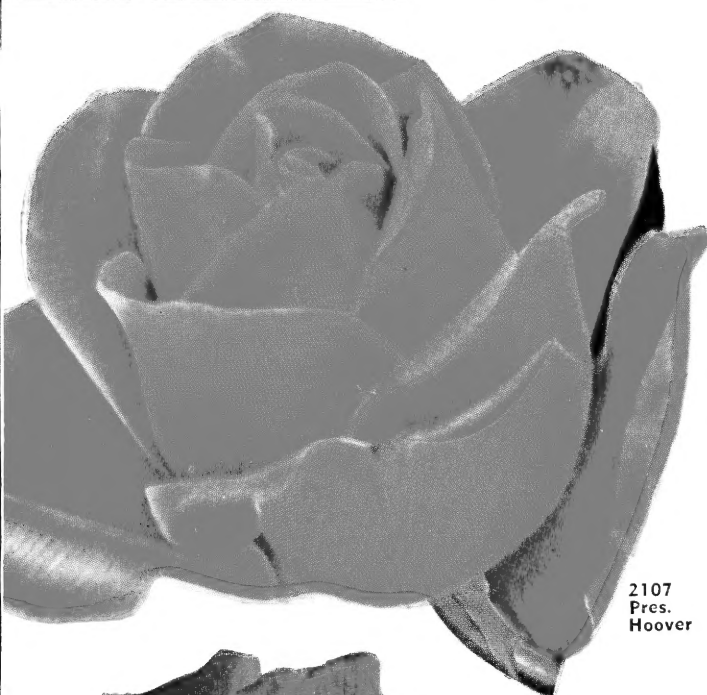


2124
Crimson
Glory

2133
K. A. Victoria



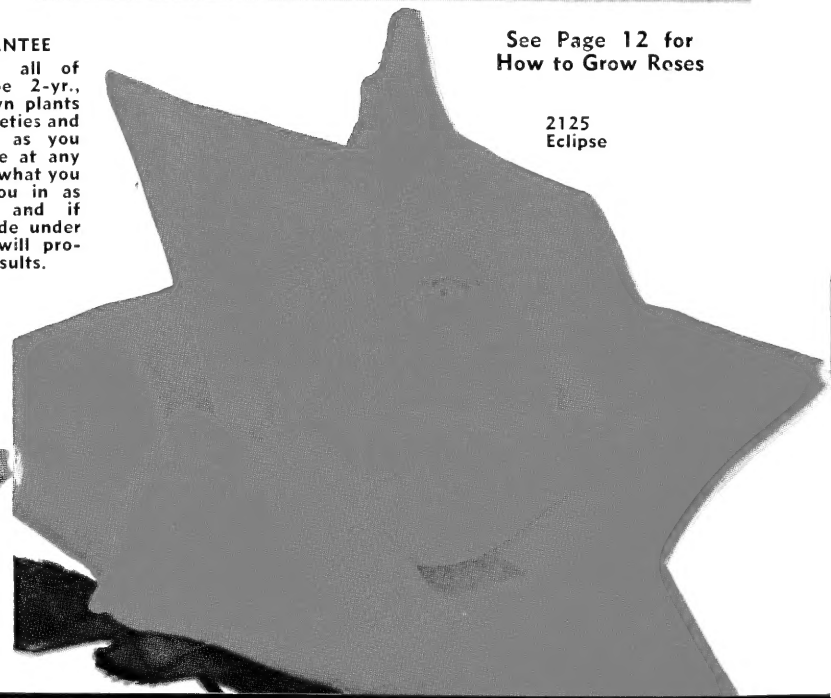
ALL
ROSES
ARE
POST-
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2107
Pres.
Hoover



2110
Rouge
Mallerin



2125
Eclipse

2201 KRIDER'S SPECIAL "ALL-PURPOSE ELEVEN" EVERBLOOMING ROSE COLLECTION

Made up of eleven of the outstanding Roses of America. Each year we travel thousands of miles checking and observing the performance of different Roses. Varieties must have thoroughly proven themselves before being included in this group.

We believe this collection consists of 11 Roses which will give the average Rose grower complete satisfaction no matter what state he lives in. It is "All-Purpose" for the following reasons:

First—Because of the wide range of colors. Practically every color known in the Rose world is represented in this collection.

Second—Because they are hardy in all sections of the country. Even in far northern climates they do well if given average winter protection.

Third—Because they are offered at a price which all America can afford. No premium prices are asked for these splendid Roses.

2201 KRIDER'S SPECIAL "ALL-PURPOSE ELEVEN" EVERBLOOMING ROSE COLLECTION

11 One of each, or your choice, of the eleven splendid varieties shown on these 2 pages **\$8.95**

Postpaid

2 COLLECTIONS—(22) \$17.00
YOUR CHOICE \$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15; 6 for \$5.40;
44 for \$33.00.

● 2-Yr., No. 1, FIELD-GROWN, None Better ●

ROSE GUARANTEE

We guarantee all of our Roses to be 2-yr., No. 1, field-grown plants in respective varieties and as good quality as you can get anywhere at any price, no matter what you pay; to reach you in as good condition and if grown side by side under like conditions, will produce as good results.

See Page 12 for
How to Grow Roses



2102
Poinsettia



2105
The Doctor



2103
Golden Dawn



2121
Countess
Vandal

ALL
WILL BLOOM
THIS YEAR



2112
Condesa de
Santiago



2111 Picture



THREE OF THE FINEST EVERBLOOMING CLIMBING ROSES ALL 2-YEAR, No. 1, FIELD-GROWN

ALL ARE EVERBLOOMING—ALL GROW IN TRUE
PILLAR FORM—10- TO 15-FOOT, UPRIGHT CANES

2166 PILLAR STRATFORD

Pat. No. 784

A unique Rose in that the open blooms have the odd, Cactus-like appearance of the Cactus Dahlias. Buds are a charming flesh-pink, opening into large blooms so extremely double there scarcely seems to be room for all the petals. Open blooms are creamy pink and the color holds for days as the many petals unfold. Blooms almost continuously from June until freezing weather. Plants are vigorous in growth with strong, erect canes and excellent foliage. The canes grow to a height of 8 to 10 feet, stiffly erect and sturdy. Ideal for planting on each side of a drive or wherever a post or pillar effect is wanted. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.75, post-paid.**

2171 GOLD RUSH

Large golden blooms are produced almost constantly from spring until fall freezes. The plant grows vigorously and has good foliage. Buds are excellent for cutting and are freely borne. A splendid Climber for color contrast. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.75, postpaid.**

2168 BLAZE

One of the largest selling Roses ever introduced. Grows in true Pillar form. Terrific crop of early blooms followed by repeat blooms throughout the summer and fall season. Plants have the hardiness and good habits of the Paul's Scarlet parentage. Good bright green foliage and sturdy canes. Excellent for use on each side of a driveway entrance or along a background fence. Color is intermediate scarlet and does not readily fade. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.75, postpaid.**

2220 EVERBLOOMING CLIMBING ROSE COLLECTION

3 One of each of the three colorful pillar type
Roses shown on this page. Makes an ideal
group for a corner planting or a garden
arbor. A \$4.50 value for only **\$3.75**
ALL POSTPAID

For individual variety prices and catalog
numbers, see descriptions

2166 Pillar Stratford—Everblooming Pink

2168 Blaze Everblooming Scarlet

2171 Gold Rush
Everblooming
Yellow



Richly Beautiful CLIMBING ROSES

FOR TRELLIS, GARDEN, ARBOR or BACKGROUND
ALL ARE 2-YEAR, No. 1, FIELD-GROWN, NONE BETTER

2162 Famous PAUL'S SCARLET Climber

One of the greatest of the hardy Climbers. Combines rapid growth with extreme hardiness and free blooming habit. Brilliant scarlet flowers which are large and last over a long period. Hardy and grown in all parts of the country. Makes a brilliant show in blooming season. **\$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15, postpaid.**

2163 Climbing TALISMAN

A truly distinctive Climber. Fragrant and rich in color shades. Buds are orange-yellow opening into large blooms of salmon-orange, shaded with red and gold. Large, sturdy canes with long flower stems. Excellent for cutting. **\$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15, postpaid.**

2164 Climbing AMERICAN BEAUTY

An old favorite Climbing Rose. Very hardy and a vigorous grower. Free bloomer. Color deep pink. Blooms extra large, resembling Tea Roses in shape and size. Good canes and flower stems. Long blooming season. **\$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15, postpaid.**

2167 NEW DAWN

Vigorous growth, positively prolific in the number of blooms produced. This Climber blooms almost constantly from early summer on through the fall. Silvery pink in color, the flowers are borne on long stems and are Tea Rose in size and form. Ideal for cutting. Hardy and sure to please those who want a fine Climber. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

2196 "WHITE DAWN"

A magnificent pure white Climber which is everblooming. Even as New Dawn was, and is, one of the finest pink Climbers ever introduced, so White Dawn brings all of the good qualities of its ancestor but in glorious white. There has long been a demand for a really good white climbing Rose and at last here it is. Sturdy, vigorous, rapid growing and not stingy with blooms. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

2199 CRIMSON Rambler

Hardest rambling or climbing Rose of them all. We have never known it to fail to bloom and produce hundreds of big clusters of fiery crimson colored flowers each spring. It attracts so much attention from everyone driving through the countryside during May and June. Those who desire masses of color on fences, trellises or any other place in the garden, there is nothing to compete with Crimson Rambler. Be sure to plant at least one this spring, they are so easy to grow. **\$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$5.40, 12 for \$8.75, postpaid.**

2169 The Gorgeous "CORAL PILLAR"

A Pillar Rose of outstanding beauty. Rich coral-apricot blooms are borne heavily in early summer, followed by repeat blooms all through the summer. Plant is a hardy vigorous grower and for trellis work up to 15 ft. in height it is especially desirable. Buds open slowly and may be cut for indoor bouquets. **Sturdy, 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

Coral Pillar

MODERN STEEL TRELLISES

Add Beauty to the Lawn or Garden
Built to Last for Years and Years
Outlast Old Style Wood Trellis

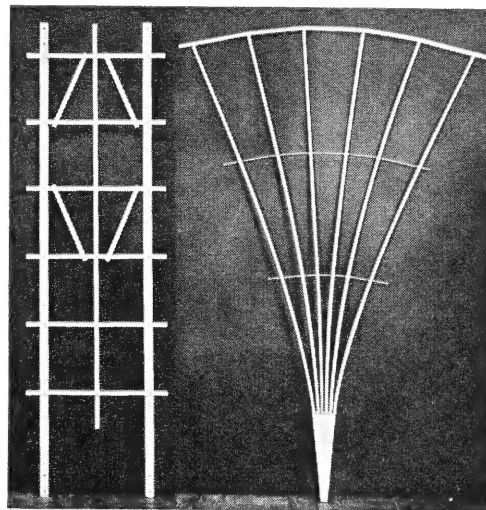
Sturdily constructed trellises made from 16 gauge channel steel. Attractively finished in durable white enamel. They will enhance the beauty of any lawn or garden. Ideal for climbing Roses and all other vines.

5904 STRAIGHT TRELLIS

The two outside uprights are 1 1/2 inches wide, center upright 3/4 inch wide. Shipped complete, knocked down with bolts and instructions for easy assembly. Size: 7 ft. high, 24 inches wide. **\$5.50 each; 2 for \$10.50, prepaid.**

5905 FAN SHAPED TRELLIS

Made of same strong material as above, shipped partly assembled, requires a few minutes only to apply rods and bolts. Size of fan 54 inches at top and 7 ft. high. **\$5.95 each; 2 for \$11.50, prepaid.**

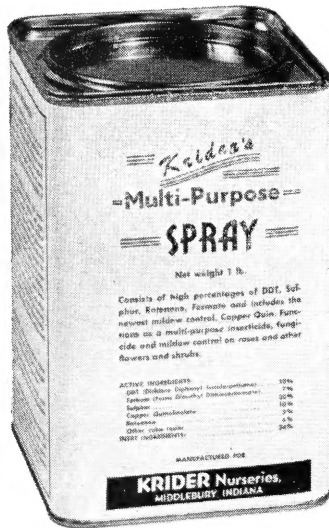


PROTECT YOUR PLANTS!

CONTROL INSECTS and DISEASE WITH KRIDER'S "MULTI-PURPOSE" PRODUCTS

SPRAY OR DUST—KRIDER'S "MULTI-PURPOSE" DOES THE COMPLETE JOB EASILY AND ECONOMICALLY
CONTROLS ALL COMMON PESTS IN ONE OPERATION—BEST APPLICATORS SHOWN WITH EACH PRODUCT

"MULTI-PURPOSE" SPRAY OR DUST



Use this marvelous multi-purpose spray or dust and take care of all pests in one operation Aphids, Slugs, Blackspot, All Common Pests Controlled With New Easy Method.

Combines all in one easily applied medium, the different elements formerly applied separately.

Recent scientific discoveries have made possible this formula especially prepared for the easy control of Blackspot, Aphids, Slugs, Mildew and other common Rose pests.

EASY TO USE—ECONOMICAL TO BUY. A whole season supply for the average Rose garden costs but a few cents per week. Hours of time are saved by applying a complete spray or dust in one operation.

ENJOY BETTER ROSES—HAVE MORE TIME TO ENJOY THEM. USE KRIDER'S "MULTI-PURPOSE" SPRAY OR DUST.

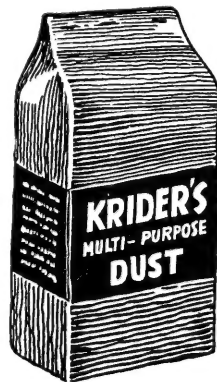
PRICES ON "MULTI-PURPOSE" SPRAY

5741 4 ozs. Treats 25 Plants a Season **\$1.50**
5742 1 lb. Treats 100 Plants a Season **\$4.75**
 ALL PRICES ARE POSTPAID

"Multi-Purpose" Dust is made to a special formula and consists of the following: DDT 5%, Ferbam 7%, other cube resins 1.5%, Lindane .50%, Sulphur 20%, inert ingredients 66%.

5751 2-lb. bag, \$1.85
POSTPAID

FOR EASY APPLICATION USE THE FAMOUS "ROOT" DUST GUN (Right)



"HAYES-ETTE" SPRAY GUN

FOR EASY APPLICATION OF ALL SPRAY MATERIAL



The most convenient way to apply spray materials to plants. Simply mix spray, place in jar and attach to sprayer, screw your regular water hose to sprayer, press valve on side of sprayer and water pressure pulls just the right amount of spray material through nozzle. Cover your plants in a third the time of old methods. No more tired arms and back, no muss, no bother. The water pressure does the work. The ideal method of applying Ra-pid-gro plant food for foliage feeding. Jar and complete directions with each sprayer.

5771 "HAYES-ETTE" SPRAYER
\$5.45, Postpaid

5795 HUDSON "Favorite" BEST ALL-PURPOSE SPRAYER WE KNOW OF



Finest 2 gallon multi-purpose home sprayer made. Ideal for Roses, perennials, shrubs and trees. Fine spray nozzle, from extra fine mist to long distance spray, up to 25 feet high. It will do every spraying job around the home garden. A twist with the fin-

gertips of the high pressure adjustable nozzle makes this just about the handiest all-purpose sprayer we have ever seen. Sprays at high pressure anything sprayable, insecticides, weed killers and any other solution. Well built, long lasting galvanized steel tank, brass pump and spray nozzle.

ORDER NUMBER 5795
"Favorite" Sprayer \$9.95
 postpaid.

"ROOT" DUST GUN

The Best All-Around Duster We've Ever Seen

This is the best and most "fool-proof" duster we have seen. Ideal for all jobs of dusting. Exclusive adjustable nozzle making quick and easy changes for dusting straight ahead, upward or horizontally while the duster is held vertically. No stooping or reaching to get to the under side of foliage; no bending to reach low plants. No extra tubes or nozzles to get out of order or broken. No friction, no lubrication. Strongly constructed of steel and tinplate. Tube is 20 inches long, holding one-half pound of dust. Easy operation and trouble-free performance for many years. Will apply any standard dust.



5781 "ROOT" DUSTER, \$2.65 each,
POSTPAID

5796 AT LAST! THE ANSWER TO YOUR MOLE PROBLEM—



Mo-Go is the best mole and gopher killer we've ever seen. We, ourselves, before using Mo-Go, tried dozens of highly advertised remedies but not once did any of them kill or chase a mole away. With Mo-Go we have had 100% success and we unconditionally guarantee the same results to you. It's easy to apply, just insert bait into runways. Complete directions sent with each shipment.

Price: 3 1/2-oz. can, enough to kill 25 moles or more, \$1.25, postpaid.

RADIANCE ROSES-BRED FOR HARDINESS

FLOURISH IN DIFFICULT AREAS

**PROLIFIC MONTHLY BLOOMERS;
STURDY GROWERS. IDEAL FOR COLD
CLIMATES AS WELL AS HOT REGIONS.**

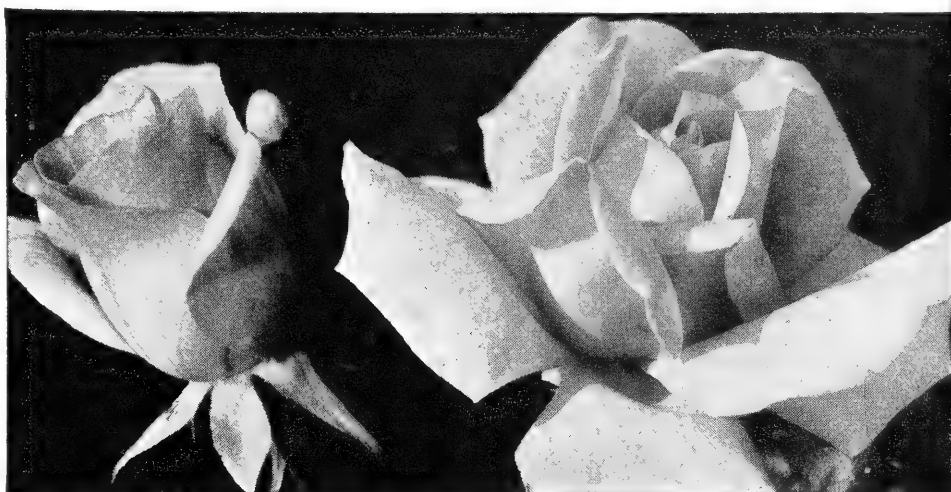
The Radiance family is not given enough attention by modern Rose growers.

Absolutely hardy and dependable, they will thrive and produce quantities of bloom where other Roses fail. Unexcelled for colder climates. Grow stronger and continue to flower year after year with minimum attention. Every garden should have a few for bloom during the hottest part of the summer and into late fall when cold weather comes.

**2134 Red Radiance
2135 Pink Radiance
2136 Salmon Radiance**

Each \$1.15; 3 for \$3.15; 6 for \$5.40; 12 for \$9.50.

**ALL EVERBLOOMING
2-Year, No. 1, Field Grown**



**2206
RADIANCE
ROSE
COLLECTION**

ONE OF EACH OF THREE LOVELY COLORS

3 1-2134 RED
1-2135 PINK
1-2136 SALMON **\$3.15**

**\$1.15 each; any 3 for \$3.15; 6 for \$5.40;
12 for \$9.50; 25 for \$17.50, all postpaid.**

HARDY PERPETUALS FOR EXTREME CONDITIONS

NOTED FOR RUGGEDNESS

These Roses are more vigorous, live much longer, are easy to grow, bloom abundantly. They are super hardy and won't die out in temperatures that go 20 or more degrees below zero. Noted for ruggedness, ideal for flowering hedges and for use with shrubs in border.

2137 PAUL NEYRON A very strong grower, producing probably the largest blooms of any Rose. Fragrant, and color is a beautiful clear pink. Very hardy. Excellent to use in combination with shrubs for borders.

2138 FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI Sometimes called "White American Beauty." Extremely sturdy and prolific in growth and bloom. Large double blooms of waxen white, each perfect in form.

2139 RED GROOTENDORST Red flowering Rugosa which is ideal for hedges or use with shrub plantings. Exceptionally hardy and strong grower. Small double blooms in clusters. Bright red.

2140 PINK GROOTENDORST Same habit and characteristics as Red Grootendorst except color is a lovely silvery pink.

2307 CAPT. HAYWARD Rich rose-red color. An unusually fine perpetual for use in shrub border. Strong grower and very hardy.

**YOUR CHOICE: \$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15; 6 for \$5.40;
12 for \$9.50; 25 for \$17.50, ALL POSTPAID**

GET FINE EVERBLOOMING ROSES AT LOW COST

See Envelope **Collection No. 2208** This Catalog Was Sent In

The Roses we offer in this collection are exactly the same quality and same varieties as described on other Rose pages in this book. We know you will be more than pleased when they bloom this summer. Imagine getting fine heavy rooted, 2-yr., No. 1 field-grown Roses at this price. Six colors, each different, our choice.

6 One each of SIX different varieties. **\$4.50**
**ALL EVERBLOOMING, NAMED AND
LABELED. WILL BLOOM THIS YEAR.**
At least a \$5.40 value. **Postpaid**
2 COLLECTIONS (12 Plants) \$8.50, postpaid.

Gentlemen:

In the nursery business you are used to receiving complaints. This is good news! On April 4th I received and planted two dozen monthly Roses, your selection, and I can now report one hundred per cent growing vigorously and fifty per cent just about to bloom. All in exactly six weeks.

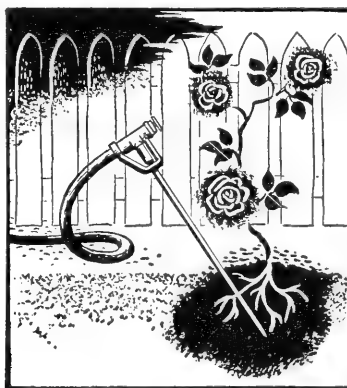
Very truly yours,

P. R. G.

GET THE MOST FROM PLANT FOOD! PUT IT AT YOUR PLANT ROOTS! "ROSS" ROOT FEEDER DOES IT

(Illustrated at left)

You've read articles about them in all the leading garden magazines, now here they are—the famous "Ross" root feeders and waterers. Gets water and fertilizer down where it's needed. Eliminates waste. Fertilize and water at the same time or apply water only. Give your plants a quick boost in the spring by fertilizing the roots. Feed and water them during the summer and water deeply in fall to prevent winter damage. Easy to use, nothing to get out



"Ross" Root Feeder in Action

of order, lasts for years. Just attach your hose for watering. For fertilizing just place a handy cartridge in the chamber, attach to hose and turn on the water, pushing to desired depth. See cartridges listed below.

5791 "ROSS" ROOT FEEDER, \$4.95 each.

With one dozen regular fertilizing cartridges, postpaid.

5755 Regular cartridge (8-16-8) is used for most plants, shrubs, Roses, trees.

5756 Acid cartridge (10-20-20) is used for evergreens and acid loving plants like Azaleas, Rhododendrons, Blueberries, etc.

EITHER OF ABOVE CARTRIDGES—12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Krider's Ten Commandments On Rose Growing

1st, Location. Rose bed should be in a sunny location and the soil should be of good garden grade and well drained. Fertilizer or well rotted manure should be thoroughly worked into the soil as the bed is spaded.

2nd, Care Before Planting. Unpack and plant Roses as soon as received from the nursery if at all possible. If you cannot plant at once, unwrap the plants and heel them in the ground until ready to set in their permanent places.

3d, Planting. In planting, set the plants with the bud, or joint, just above the roots, about 1½ inches below the surface of the soil. Have holes large enough to avoid crowding of the roots and be sure soil used for filling in is finely pulverized. Tramp soil firmly a couple of times as the hole is filled and leave a slight depression around each plant to retain water. Allow 18 to 24 inches between plants when figuring the number of plants needed for a bed.

4th, Care After Planting. If some plants appear dead and refuse to leaf out within a reasonable length of time after planting, try covering them with a piece of wet burlap. Soak the burlap with water two or three times daily and leave over the plant 48 hours. This will make most of them start leafing very soon. Some varieties seem to be slower than others in starting and we find the the above method will sometimes literally bring out plants that appear to be brown and entirely dead. Try it, and you will be amazed at the results.

5th, Pruning. As soon as planting is completed see that all plants and the soil around them is thoroughly soaked with water. Cut back all canes to a length of 4 or 5 inches at planting time. This is very important as the root system of a newly transplanted Rose bush will not be able to leaf the canes to their entire length and many times plants will simply die in trying to do so. Each succeeding spring all canes should be cut back to the 4- or 5-inch height as stated above. This causes strong new growth and abundant bloom to develop.

6th, Fertilizing. Keep the Rose planting well watered at all times when there is no natural rainfall. A reasonable application of fertilizer applied twice during the summer months, with an interval of at least 30 days between applications, will induce added growth and extra quality in blooms.

7th, Cultivation. Frequent cultivation after planting will maintain a dust mulch on top of the soil which will conserve moisture and continue growth. Rather shallow hoeing gives best results and keeps the beds free from weeds. Keep soil loose this way until about Aug. 1, after which it is well to allow the stock to harden and mature for wintering.

8th, Spraying. For leaf spot and aphid apply Krider's Multi-Purpose Spray or Dust. Apply every two weeks or as often as needed. For slugs or leaf eating worms apply arsenate of lead.

Remedies for Chewing Insects. Leaf-eating insects such as beetles, weevils, grubs, worms, etc., are controlled by poison applied to the leaf. Arsenate of lead is most commonly used. Rotenone or pyrethrum should be used on vegetables. DDT is effective on some things, for instance, leaf-miners, chinch bugs in lawns, codling moths on fruits.

Combinations of fungicide and insecticide chemicals are time savers for the small garden. These materials come under various trade labels. Consult us and we will be glad to offer suggestions.

9th, Watering. Don't sprinkle beds—wet them thoroughly. If a hose is used, remove the nozzle and let the water soak into the ground until it is saturated for several days after good drenching like this. Water in the evening or early morning if possible.

10th, Preparation of Soil. Any soil that will grow good Potatoes or garden plants will grow good Roses. It is not necessary that the Rose bed be entirely of clay soil. Good, thoroughly enriched gravel soil, or loam soil, will grow as good Roses as clay. The only time it is desirable to add some clay is if the soil of the Rose bed is pure sand.

2143 HARDY MULTIFLORA ROSE PLANTS

**For Dense, Stock-Proof Living Flowering Fences,
also Farm Fences**

Most of you have no doubt read the articles appearing in various magazines recommending the Multiflora Roses for use on farms and suburban property. This is the type of Wild Rose understock onto which Hybrid Tea Roses are budded. It grows prolifically and is hardy in the most extreme situations. Seems to withstand cold and drought and thrive in poor soil. It is the answer to your search for something to make a living fence which will, when matured, be practically stock or trespasser proof. The branches grow spreading and tightly massed. Grows rapidly and quickly forms a dense fence or hedge. May be trimmed if desired. Plant 12 inches apart for a dense, tight fence or hedge; 18 to 24 inches apart for a property line fence or looser hedge.

MULTIFLORA PRICES

**Well Rooted, 18-24 in. Sturdy Plants, 10 for \$2.00;
25 for \$4.00; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$10.00, postpaid.**

(Not Less Than 10 Plants Sold.)



Description for 3 of 1956's Finest New Roses Illustrated on Front Cover

2193 BUCCANEER

Introduced 1953 (Plant. Pat. 1119)

Brilliant new introduction. Rich, unfading yellow. Extremely vigorous, sturdy, with plants often reaching over 4 feet in height. Huge double blooms of clear deep yellow. Wonderful buds for cutting all season long. **2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, postpaid.**

2313 ROUNDELAY

New for 1955 (Plant Pat. 1280)

Typical of the Grandifloras. Luminous, fiery red color holds unfading as the strong plant produces the glorious high-centered blooms in marvelous profusion. Excellent fragrance and individual stems long enough for cutting. **2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.**

2312 QUEEN ELIZABETH

AARS for 1955 (Plant Pat. 1259)

The exquisite, clear pink color and the stately, perfect flower form would alone be enough to stamp this as a really wonderful Rose. Combine these features with all of the superb qualities of the new Grandiflora class and you have something to use superlatives about. Big, vigorous, tall growing plant covered densely with deep green waxen foliage. Long flower stems are almost thornless, making it ideal for cutting. **2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.**

Floribunda Roses Will Give Constant Summer Color

WHAT ARE FLORIBUNDAS?

Floribundas are an entirely different and distinct group of Roses. They are extremely hardy, doing well under the most adverse conditions. They are the most prolific of bloomers. Floribundas start blooming very early in June and continue to produce constantly until freezing weather. Their blooms are like the Hybrid Teas in form. They grow vigorously with canes from 20 to 30 inches in height. Floribundas are one of the best plants we know of for bedding and for borders. Their foliage is attractive and not easily subject to disease, and their constant blooming habit makes them desirable wherever a long and colorful flowering season is needed.

THREE OF THE WORLD'S FINEST FLORIBUNDAS—NONE BETTER

2309 JIMINY CRICKET AARS Winner 1955

Brilliant new Floribunda introduction, one of the most intensely colored of all Roses. Jiminy Cricket's coral-orange blooms which slowly turn to pink-coral as they age, are very effective either left for landscape garden or cut flowers for indoors. The perfect buds come in masses and flowers are long lasting. Plant a vigorous upright grower, with good glossy foliage, a joyous new color for your garden. Each \$2.25; 3 for \$6.00.

2250 FLORIBUNDA ROSE COLLECTION

3 One of each of the three finest Floribundas shown on this page. A \$6.25 value, **\$5.50** postpaid for only
GUARANTEED TO GROW AND BLOOM

2190 VOGUE - Superb 1952 AARS Winner

One of the most outstanding Floribunda introductions to date. The color is a beautiful cardinal-red with deeper overtones. Plants are exceptionally vigorous and sturdy, producing tremendous quantities of buds and bloom almost constantly throughout the summer and fall months. Flowers are beautifully formed, double and fragrant. Excellent for cutting and use in the finest arrangements. **2-yr., field-grown, No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**

2190 Vogue
Pat. No. 926
AARS 1952

2308 LILIBET

A pleasant soft pink flower of lilted form. Lilibet makes a broad, very bushy plant about 2½ feet high, with stems thickly studded with the dainty blooms and small, neat foliage. Its delicate fragrance suits its dawn-pink coloring and charming form. Disease free and vigorous, with a lot of bloom all season. **\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00.**

2308 Lilibet—
Pat. No. 1209
AARS 1954

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

TREMENDOUS QUANTITIES OF BLOOM
AND VERSATILITY OF USAGE MAKE THEM
INDISPENSABLE IN EVERY GARDEN . . .

FLORIBUNDAS BLOOM CONTINUOUSLY



2157 Pinocchio—Pat. No. 484

2154 FASHION

The most sensational new Rose to be introduced in years. Here is a Rose with everything . . . A lovely new color, coral suffused with gold; and an enticing "old rose" fragrance. Plants grow vigorously to medium height and produce an unusually great number of perfectly formed flowers from spring until late fall. Color is elusive and difficult to describe. Must be seen to be really appreciated. 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00, postpaid.

2157 PINOCCHIO

Bloom from June until fall freezes. Flowers come in great clusters making them ideal for cutting and floral arrangements. The buds are perfect in form, richly colored a deep salmon flushed with gold at the base, and open very slowly into 1½-inch blooms so perfect they are really miniature Tea Roses. Planted in a bed, they make a flower garden by themselves. Plants are extremely hardy and vigorous in growth. Reach 20 to 24 inches in height and always in bloom. 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, all postpaid.



2154 Fashion—Plant Pat. 789—AARS 1950

2251 FLORIBUNDA ROSE COLLECTION

4 One of each of the four splendid Floribunda Roses on this page.

A \$6.75 value for only . . .

\$5.90

- ALL EVERBLOOMING
- ALL GUARANTEED TO GROW
- ALL ARE SENT PREPAID •

Order Individual Varieties by Variety Number . . .

2176 GERANIUM RED

One of the most brilliant and intensely colored of all Roses. Shading is so scintillating that a group of Geranium Red in bloom will stop any one who sees them. Plants are very vigorous in growth, producing plenty of canes for the masses of colorful flowers. Extremely hardy and in bloom from spring until freezing fall weather. Excellent for either specimen or massed planting. Strong, 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.65; 12 for \$18.60, postpaid.

2-Yr., No. 1
Plants
None Better

2311 WORLD'S FAIR

(Plant Patent No. 362)

Winner of First Award, All-America Selections

Official Rose of the great New York World's Fair, this peerless beauty will be one of the most outstanding Floribundas for many years to come. One of America's most popular Roses. Clusters of velvety, rich scarlet flowers which almost hide the luxuriant foliage, become dark maroon in the fall. Large, double flowers are exceptionally hardy. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, postpaid.

2311 World's Fair—Pat. No. 362



ALL ROSES
POSTPAID

FOUR EXCELLENT STANDARD FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Will Give Constant Summer Color
HARDY AND VIGOROUS, THEIR BRILLIANT BLOOMS
ARE ALWAYS DELIGHTFUL FOR CUTTING, TOO

**STURDY, TWO-YEAR, No. 1, FIELD-GROWN AND
BUDDED PLANTS—WILL START BLOOMING SIX
TO EIGHT WEEKS AFTER SPRING PLANTING**

2160 FLORADORA Characterized by extreme-
ly sturdy, vigorous growth
and abundance of blooms. Color is a sparkling coral-orange-
red in the open blooms. Buds are perfectly formed and
open slowly after cutting. Not unusual for a clustering
spray to have from 7 to 10 blooms open and a number of
unopened buds at one time. Each plant bears literally hun-
dreds of blooms during the long season from early June
until freezing fall weather. Both for massed plantings or
for cutting plants you will find Floradora one of the hardi-
est, freest flowering plants you've ever grown. **2-year. No. 1 plants for bloom this summer, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 6 for \$6.00; 12 for \$11.00; 25 for \$20.00, postpaid.**



Pure White Floribunda, "Dagmar"

2161 RED RIPPLES

One of the most scintillating red Floribunda Roses we have ever seen. It is that sparkling shade which immediately stops the eye. Grows to 30 inches tall and in true Floribunda style. Buds are perfect and hold well on the plant or after cutting. Plants bloom continually from June until freezing fall weather. A mass of red through the summer months. Petals have wavy, rippling edges. Ideal for massed plantings. **2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 6 for \$6.00; 12 for \$11.00; 25 for \$20.00, postpaid.**

Brilliant Red, With Waved, Rippling
Petals — Floribunda, "Red Ripples"



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Scintillating Cinnabar-Red Floribunda, "Floradora"

2306 DAGMAR (White Lafayette)

The lovely white Floribunda, masses of clustered large blooms all summer long. Exquisite fragrance, splendid for massing, borders, or in beds with other colors. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 12 for \$11.00, postpaid.**

2159 CHATEAU A red to end all reds. Color is so intense and so scintillating that even the wonderful red of Etoile de Hollande seems pale beside it, and the color holds without fading as long as the blooms last. As with other Floribundas, plants are very hardy, grow under adverse soil and weather conditions and bloom abundantly from spring until freezing in late fall. "Chateau" grows about 24 inches high and blooms have stems sufficiently long for cutting. If you want a really bright color for beds or along a drive, get this one. **2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 6 for \$6.00; 12 for \$11.00; 25 \$20.00, postpaid.**

2252 Standard FLORIBUNDA ROSE COLLECTION

4 One each of the four excellent Roses described on this page. You can't beat these brilliantly colored Floribundas for charming beds. Splendid for cutting use in all types of low arrangements. **\$4.50**
SENT PREPAID TO YOUR ADDRESS

Deep, Dark, Satiny Red Floribunda, "Chateau"



FOUR MOST COLORFUL POLYANTHA ROSES

AS VERSATILE AS PERENNIALS
AS BRILLIANT AS A SUNSET
AS ABUNDANT IN BLOOM AS THE STARS
AS HARDY AS THE TREES IN THE WOODS

- USE THEM FOR BEDS
- USE THEM FOR BORDERS
- USE THEM FOR EDGINGS
- USE THEM FOR COLOR ACCENT
- USE THEM FOR PORCH BOXES
- USE THEM IN URNS OR PAILS

2198 MRS. R. M. FINCH (Pink)

Opening color is clear pink changing to blush. Plants are strong and easy growing. No sooner is the first crop of blooms produced than the buds for the successive ones follow. Blooms freely all summer.

2151 GOLDEN SALMON (Orange)

Rich deep salmon color which glows like bright copper when a mass of them are in bloom. Excellent foliage which seems to be resistant to disease. A riot of color all summer long. One of the brightest and flashiest Polyanthas. Use liberally along walks, for massed beds or in front of taller plantings of shrubs or Roses.

2153 ORLEANS (Pink)

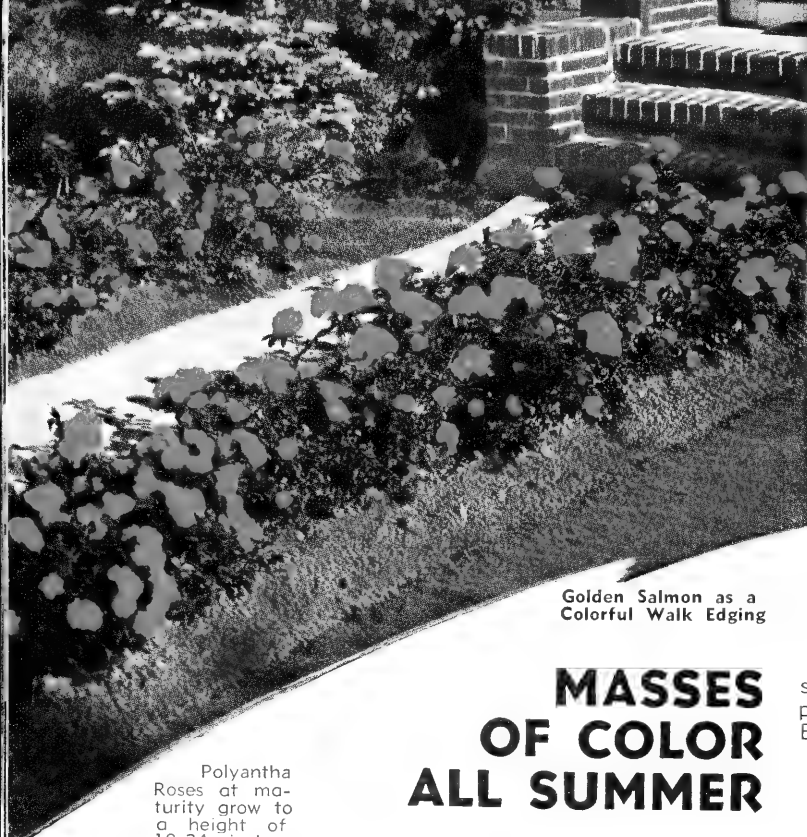
If you prefer a lovely pink shade for beds, etc., then Orleans is the answer. Same characteristics as other Polyanthas. You will revel in the masses of rich pink blooms which this variety produces all summer long.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE POLYANTHA VARIETIES—

(Order by Catalog Number)

\$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15; 6 for \$5.40; 12 for \$9.50; 25 for \$17.50; 50 for \$33.00; 100 for \$65.00.

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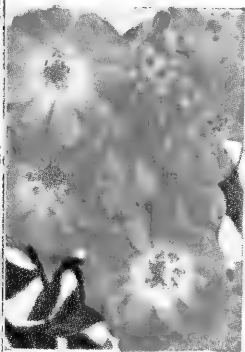
Golden Salmon as a
Colorful Walk Edging

MASSES OF COLOR ALL SUMMER

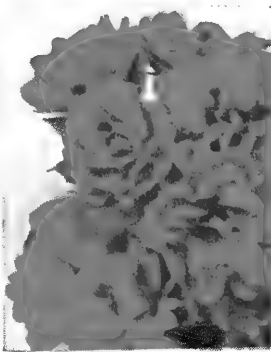
Polyantha
Roses at ma-
turity grow to
a height of
18-24 inches.

2152 EDITH CAVELL (Red)

The dark red Polyantha. Rich dark green foliage. An ideal variety for bedding or planting along the top of walls. Like all Polyanthas, it is hardy and blooms all summer. Its deep satiny red blooms are produced so freely that each plant is a small flower garden in itself.



Orleans



Edith Cavell



Mrs. R. M. Finch

BEAUTIFUL PINK FLORIBUNDA SHRUB ROSE.

Lavishly Blooming "BETTY PRIOR"

2156 BETTY PRIOR

Betty Prior has a sparkling pink color resembling that of Pink Dogwood. Blooms form and open almost constantly throughout the summer. Individual flowers are fair sized and come in large clusters. Vigorous plants grow to 36 inches in height and even taller under ideal conditions. Unexcelled for colorful hedges or large beds where plenty of bloom is desired.

PRICES FOR "BETTY PRIOR"

2-Yr. No. 1, Field-Grown
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90;
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RA-PID-GRO

MAKES A COMPLETE, QUICKLY AVAILABLE, EASILY PREPARED PLANT FOOD BY MERELY ADDING PROPER AMOUNT OF WATER. CONTAINS VITAMINS B₁ and B₂ PLUS ELEVEN OTHER VITAL PLANT FOOD ELEMENTS. CLEAN TO HANDLE, EASY TO USE, PRODUCES PHENOMENAL RESULTS.

WHAT IS RA-PID-GRO?

Ra-pid-gro is a complete concentrated plant food formula. Easily made into an immediately effective liquid fertilizer by simply adding water. It will speed up growth of plants now in place and will assure more successful transplanting of new plants.

HOW IS IT USED?

Just add water at the rate of 1 lb. of Ra-pid-gro to 22 gallons of water. Allow to dissolve and it's ready to use. Apply around each plant. For use on small numbers of plants mix at the rate of a teaspoonful to the quart of water.

WHAT WILL IT DO?

Ra-pid-gro will work almost unbelievable miracles in promoting rapid and healthy growth on all types of plants. Use it on lawns, around shade trees, evergreens, shrubs, Roses, perennials, vegetables and house plants. Many times plants which have been given up for dead will respond to applications of Ra-pid-gro.

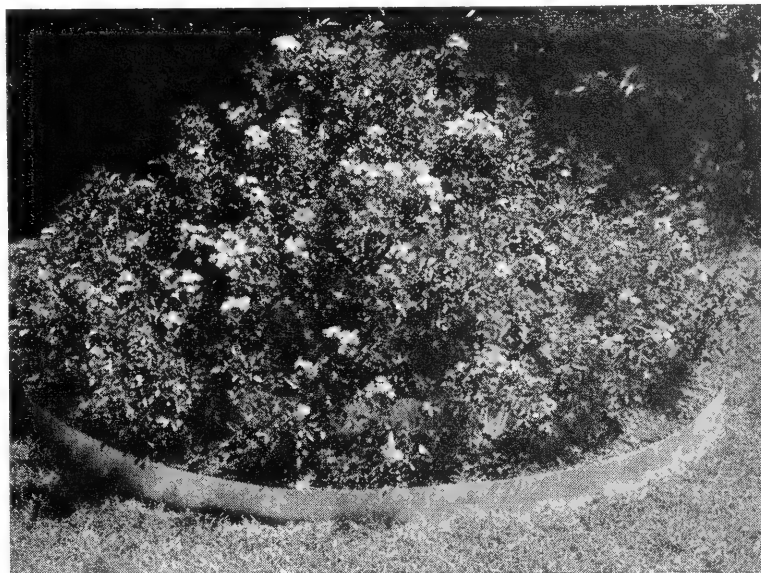
HOW MUCH WILL I NEED?

Figure at the rate of 1 lb. of Ra-pid-gro for each 100 lbs. of other fertilizer you have been using. Or the manufacturer recommends the following: for a lot 40x60 ft. with 15 shrubs, 20 feet of hedge, 3 fruit trees, 2 evergreens, 12 roses and 800 sq. ft. of lawn, 5 lbs. of Ra-pid-gro for a season's feeding. A lot 40x100 ft. with 25 shrubs, 3 shade trees, 4 fruit trees, perennial bed, a few grapes and raspberries, 10 evergreens, a small vegetable garden and 1500 sq. ft. of lawn requires 10 lbs. per season. A lot 75x150 with 48 roses, 40 shrubs, 4 shade trees, perennials, 6 evergreens, hedge, vegetable garden, strawberry and raspberry patch, grapes, 10 fruit trees, and 4000 sq. ft. of lawn will require 20 lbs. of Ra-pid-gro per season.

WE OFFER THREE OF THE MOST CONVENIENT SIZES—

All are sent by Prepaid Parcel Post.

5701—1-lb. FABRIC BAG	Makes 176 lbs.	\$1.25
5702—2-lb. FABRIC BAG	Makes 352 lbs.	2.35
5705—5-lb. FABRIC BAG	Makes 880 lbs.	4.50



Close Up View of Pyramidal Rose Garden

NEW AND THRILLING IDEA FOR ROSE GROWING!

Have Thousands of Blooms in Only 6 Feet of Space! It's New! It's Easy!

JUST ORDER THIS COMPLETE PYRAMIDAL ROSE GARDEN UNIT

In a Few Weeks After Planting You'll Have Masses of Color

FOR BEST RESULTS USE POLYANTHA ROSES, LISTED ON OPPOSITE PAGE

No more colorful spot can be imagined than that made by a Rose planting in a Pyramidal Bed. Taking up only 6 feet in diameter of space, yet you can easily plant 25 Polyantha Rose plants in it.

Bed is so easy to take care of. A few minutes will take care of necessary weeding, applying a little fertilizer occasionally or watering the plants. We have one of these beds on the lawn across the street from our own office and it is a blaze of color all through the summer and fall. You may select the color you wish, orange, red or pink, and you will be more than delighted with them. Literally thousands of colorful buds and blooms will create one of the brightest spots around your home. If you lack space for a Rose garden here is the answer to your problem. For best results use Polyantha Roses, they are so hardy and bloom so freely.

This ornamental and practical pyramid bed is made of rust-proof heavy gauge aluminum and will last a lifetime.

Layout construction is simple, place first band on ground, fill level full of soil, place second band on top of this, repeating same for each additional terrace. Setting of the plants completes the job.

5900 25-plant pyramid bed (4 terraces and collar) diameter 6 ft., without plants, only \$9.95, postpaid.

Prices of Polyantha Roses, Your Choice as Described on Page 16.

6 for \$5.40; 12 for \$9.50; 15 for \$11.25; 25 for \$17.50; 50 for \$33.00. All sent postpaid.



Highest Quality, Selected STRAWBERRY PLANTS Best and Favorite Varieties

(AVAILABLE FOR SPRING PLANTING ONLY)

3102 PREMIER

A money-making, frost-resistant Strawberry; hardy, productive, very beautiful and attractive. Succeeds everywhere, never fails to produce a big crop every year. There is a greater demand for commercial planting than for any other early variety. An excellent shipper and canner. Sells for fancy prices on the market. 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$3.50; 500 for \$12.00; 1000 for \$18.00, postpaid.

3103 SENATOR DUNLAP

Perhaps no other Strawberry is so favorably known throughout the country generally as the old reliable Senator Dunlap. It enjoys the distinction of producing full crops in a wider range of soil and climate than almost any other variety. Fine for both home and commercial use. 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$2.75; 500 for \$9.00; 1000 for \$15.00, postpaid.

3104 ROBINSON

A grand berry which we think will become as popular as the well known Premier. Plants are vigorous growers and mature very heavy crops of excellent berries. Fruits are large, bright red, solid and have a delightful flavor. Keep well after picking, either for shipping or for home use. Hold shape when canned and are unexcelled for quick freezing. 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$3.25; 500 for \$12.00; 1000 for \$18.00, postpaid.

3108 JUMBO (Trade Mark)

Huge berries, deep red all the way through, are firm and solid for shipping or quick freezing. Unusually sweet, they require less sugar when being prepared. Plants are larger and robust, leading to tremendous crops of fruit. We strongly recommend this berry as one of the finest all-purpose berries grown today. 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$6.00; 500 for \$20.00, postpaid.

3100 "SIOUX" An Outstanding NEW Strawberry

With the Elusive, Unequalled Flavor
of the Wild Mountain Strawberries.

EXTRA LARGE BERRIES
CONSISTENTLY HEAVY CROPS
UNIFORM COLOR — EVEN RIPENING

A great many varieties of berries have been developed and introduced from time to time but only rarely is one developed which is good enough to become a popular favorite in all sections and good enough to endure for years.

We believe such a new berry has been developed in the new "SIOUX" variety. It has proven itself in all tests and we do not hesitate to recommend it to our customers.

Plants are vigorous, mature rapidly, are hardy and withstand hot seasons. Fruits are extra large, have excellent color and have an extra sweet flavor. Berries are firm and keep well for market or shipping. Hold shape in cans and are fine for freezing. We know you will be pleased with this new variety when once you plant them. 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$3.75; 500 for \$16.00; 1000 for \$30.00, postpaid.

THOUSANDS OF SATISFIED USERS
ACCLAIM THE AMAZING PYRAMID
METHOD FOR SPACE SAVING —

LET STRAWBERRIES HELP YOU LANDSCAPE! —

A SPACE 6 FEET, OR LESS, WILL PROVIDE YOUR FAMILY WITH FRESH BERRIES ALL SUMMER!

PYRAMIDAL BED Solves Space Problems

Now you can grow all the fresh Strawberries the average family will need in a space only six feet or less in diameter. This practical and space saving pyramid bed is ornamental and may be used as part of the landscaping. The mound of green foliage dotted with ripe red Strawberries makes a pleasing sight in any planting. By planting any one of the ever-bearing varieties offered on the opposite page, (we particularly recommend Red Rich), you will have a constant supply of fresh berries at your back door all summer long.

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5900 50 plant pyramid bed (4 terraces and collar) diameter 6 ft., without plants, only \$9.95, postpaid.



Showing the New Space-Saving, Pyramidal Bed Method of Growing
Your Family's Delicious Fresh Strawberry Supply Patent Pending

TWO PROLIFIC EVERBEARERS

HAVE FRUIT EARLY AND LATE! THESE VARIETIES WILL PRODUCE IT

PROLIFIC NEW EVERBEARER WHICH PRODUCES UNUSUALLY SWEET BERRIES

3107 "STREAMLINER"

The Sweetest Strawberry We Know Of—Large In Size
Meltingly Good to Eat

Save Sugar When Canning or When Using On the Table
Grow "Streamliner"

This new berry is of immense size, a sure cropper, of choice quality and an extremely vigorous grower. These fine qualities make it much prized by those who grow berries for market. Starts bearing early in the season and continues to bear heavy crops until long past frost. A beautiful bright colored berry of fine flavor; excellent for market, for canning or for locker storage after quick freezing.

25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$5.00; 500 for \$20.00;
1000 for \$35.00, postpaid.

REGARDING THE QUALITY OF STRAWBERRY PLANTS

In looking through the many catalogs you receive you will notice that many claim to be the largest growers of plants, many claim to grow the best plants. We have bought plants from some that make extravagant claims in different sections of the country and we may truthfully say that we have never received any better plants than those we send to our customers. We guarantee the plants we grow and sell to be as large and as fine as you get anywhere (no matter what you pay) and to be put up in as good condition. If grown side by side, under like conditions, they will produce as much and as good fruit.

**NOTE: WE PAY POSTAGE
ON STRAWBERRY PLANTS**

3105 PRIZE STRAWBERRY COLLECTION

Have fresh Strawberries from early spring until snow flies. This home garden group gives you three excellent regular varieties, covering a long bearing season, plus one of the best everbearers. Have your own fruit! Plant this spring!

Collection Consists of the Following:

25 PREMIER
25 ROBINSON
25 SENATOR DUNLAP
25 STREAMLINER (Everbearer)

A \$5.50 Value in Fine Heavy
Rooted Plants

100 for \$3.75
Postpaid

All plants are
state inspected
and carry
certificate on
every shipment
showing
them free from
disease.

3101 "RED RICH"

(Plant Pat. No. 993)

- FRUITS GIGANTIC IN SIZE
- RICH RED COLOR
THROUGHOUT
- FLAVORFUL HONEY
SWEETNESS



The latest, newest and best in Everbearing Strawberries. A cross of Wayzata everbearer and Fairfax June bearer, which has produced a gigantic berry of perfect form and a superior, honey-sweet flavor.

Deep red color all the way through the firm flesh. The large size, color and flavor are maintained throughout the bearing season.

The ideal berry for quick freezing as the firm flesh does not get mushy after thawing out. Red Rich is without an equal as a dessert berry. Because of its superlative flavor and unusual sweetness very little sugar is required.

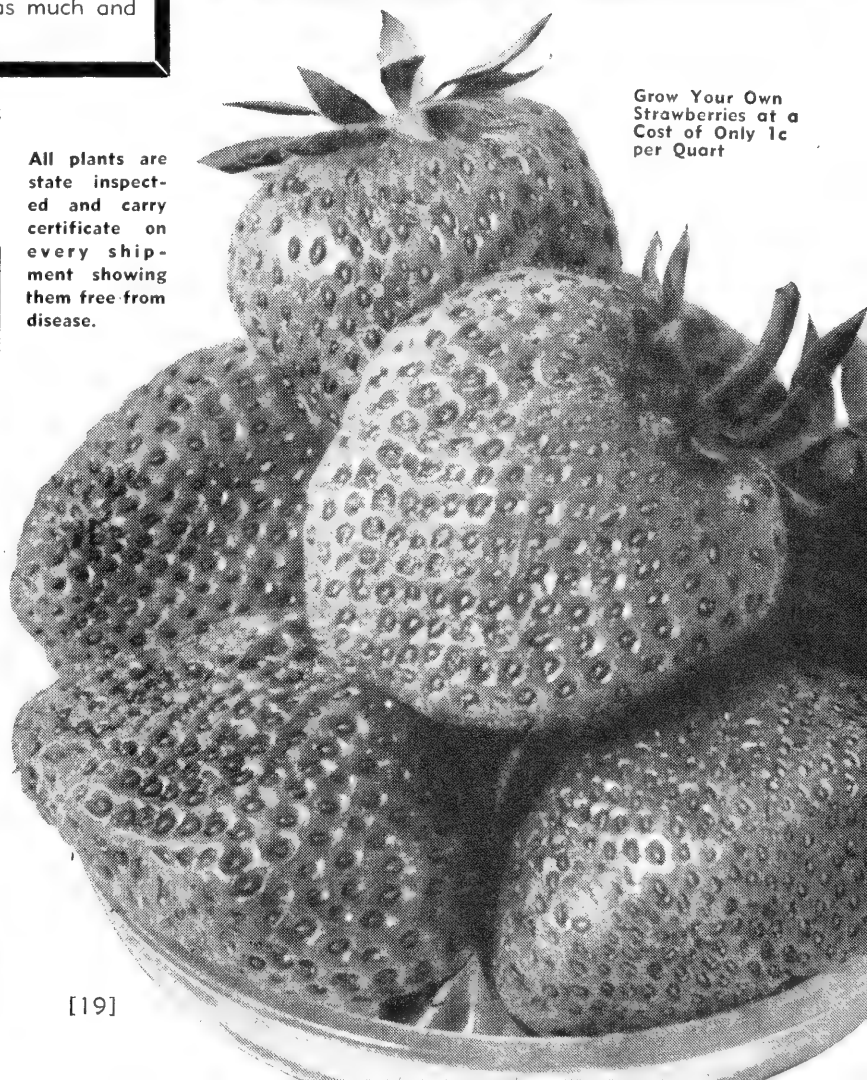
An exceptionally heavy producer. Bearing season begins early with a heavy crop and continues on through October. Bears a pint per plant first season, double that second year.

Plants are unusually large and sturdy. Foliage is large and adds to the ability of the plant to produce enormous crops.

"RED RICH" PRICES

12 for \$2.75; 25 for \$5.00;
50 for \$8.50; 100 for \$15.00;
250 for \$32.50, postpaid

Grow Your Own
Strawberries at a
Cost of Only 1c
per Quart



Delicious RED RASPBERRIES

THE SENSATIONAL EVERBEARING

3109 INDIAN SUMMER

TWO CROPS OF DELICIOUS AND FLAVORFUL RED RASPBERRIES YEARLY

One of the finest new Red Raspberries. Fruits are large, firm in texture and packed with flavorful goodness. Keep their color when canned or quick frozen. Excellent market berry as they keep well after picking. Plants grow readily and rapidly to good size and bear abundantly. Indian Summer makes an ideal berry for home garden because the plants bear a heavy crop during the early summer bearing season and then another lighter crop in the fall. This assures you of fresh fruit at a season when most other fruits are gone.

Well-rooted No. 1 plants, 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75; 50 for \$6.25; 100 for \$12.00, postpaid.

3110 LATHAM

THE FAMOUS "OLD RELIABLE" RED RASPBERRY—BEST KNOWN RED BERRY—

We might well use this whole page extolling the merits of this wonderful berry, which we regard as the finest ever introduced. Berries of extremely large size, and when ripe, are a beautiful red color. The hardiest of all Raspberries, growing well and producing abundant crops even to the Canadian border. Flavor is delicious and crop is remarkably heavy, sometimes extending over a month. In every way Latham stands supreme. 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6.25; 100 for \$12.00, postpaid. 500 for \$42.50, by express.

Huge BLACK RASPBERRY

3111 CUMBERLAND

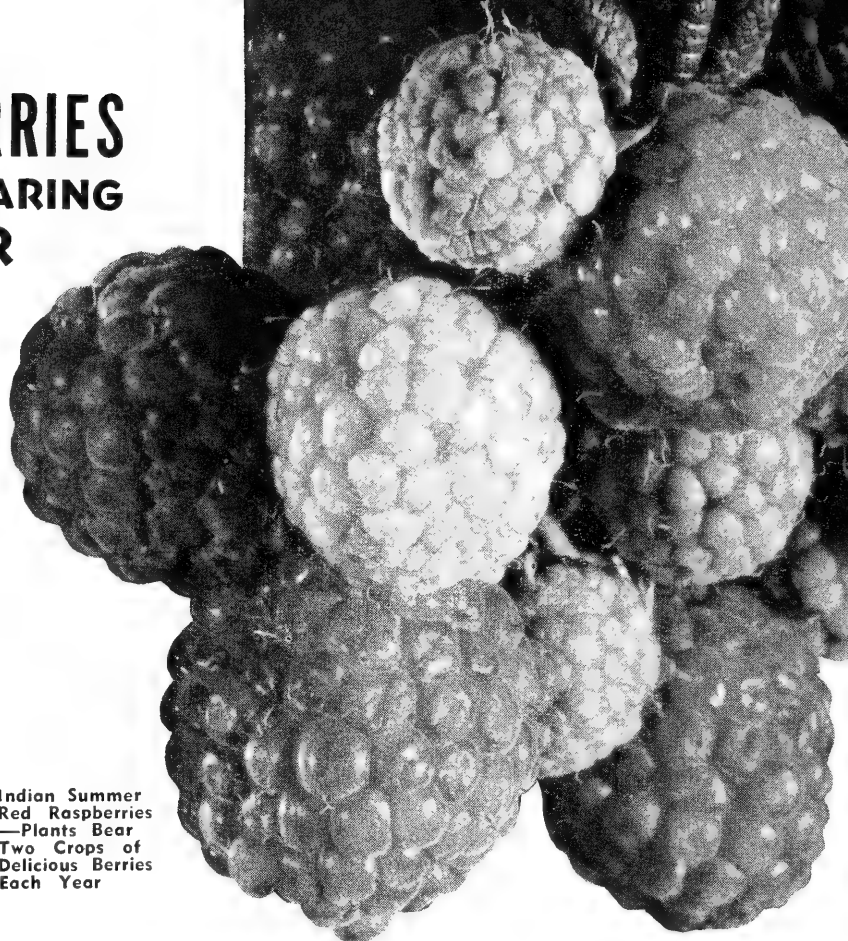
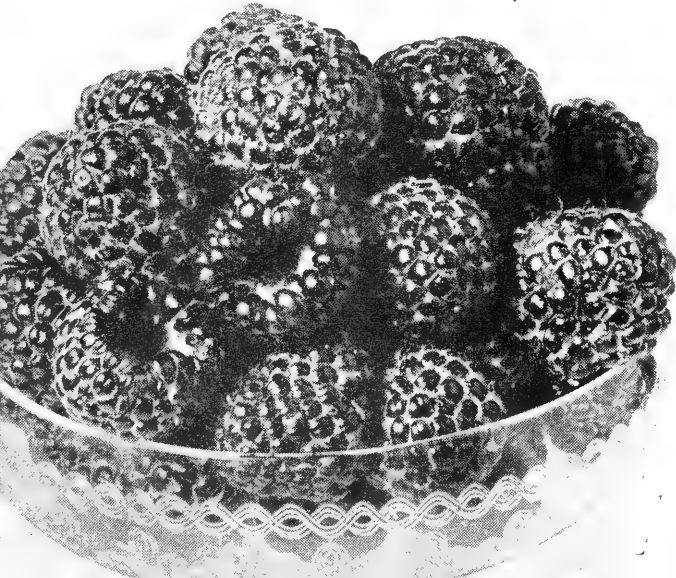
MOST FAMOUS BLACK RASPBERRY

We Regard It as the Best of All Blackcaps

Prolific Producer for Home Canning or Freezing, or for Market Large, Juicy Berries Are Superior in Every Way

Largest Blackcap Raspberry grown. Plant is an unusually strong grower and heavy bearer. Berries are very large, sweet, and juicy, keep well for market and hold shape in cans when cold-packed. Useful and valuable for the home garden as they are excellent for table use as fresh fruit, fine for canning or the making of jam and jelly, and equally as good for locker storage after quick freezing. 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$9.00, postpaid. 500 for \$35.00; 1000 for \$60.00, by express.

"Cumberland" Black Raspberries—Full of Juicy Goodness



Indian Summer Red Raspberries—Plants Bear Two Crops of Delicious Berries Each Year

3123 SODUS Purple Cap

FAMOUS FOR DELICIOUS FLAVOR—UNEXCELLED AS A FRESH FRUIT

The leading purple Raspberry. Introduced and recommended by the New York Experiment Station. Berries are very large and firm. They resemble Red Raspberries in shape and appearance. Bush grows like Blackcaps. Heavy producer. Unequaled for pies. Sodus is resistant to drought and yields a good crop every year.

Price: 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.50 and 100 for \$10.00, postpaid.

3113 "EBONY" BLACKBERRY

PROLIFIC NEW VARIETY—IMMENSE SIZE, SURE CROP, HEAVY YIELD, VIGOROUS IN GROWTH, PERFECTLY HARDY . . .

Resistant to rust and a good money-maker. Canes grow upright and sturdy. Fruit ripens in July and continues over a long period. We offer only the one variety as it is the one which we believe to be the best. Guaranteed to produce fruit. 6 for \$1.95; 12 for \$3.55; 25 for \$7.25; 50 for \$13.50; 100 for \$21.50, postpaid.

Immense, Juicy, Flavor-Packed Fruits of "Ebony" Blackberries



3116 GIANT FRUITED BLUEBERRIES

AMERICA'S FINEST
NEW HOME GARDEN FRUIT;
FRESH, CANNED OR FROZEN

- FOLIAGE, BLOOMS and FRUIT ARE ALL ATTRACTIVE—USE THEM AS SHRUBS IN BORDER OR FOUNDATION IF YOU LACK OTHER SPACE FOR THEM ●

Grows successfully from coast to coast. Big profits, as bushes bear heavily and market is always good. Early berries bring from 35c to 50c a pint.

Blueberries will grow in any good garden soil. A well drained sandy loam, acid soil is best. Muck soil may be used if it is acid and properly drained. Good air circulation is important. Common sulphur and peat moss will make soil acid.

Plants last a lifetime when once established. The plants we offer will start bearing the first year after planting.

(Note: We send assorted varieties to insure pollenization.)

Bearing age, 18- to 24-inch plants,
2 for \$3.00; 5 for \$6.50; 10 for
\$12.50, postpaid.

3115 THE FAMOUS FLAVORFUL MARTHA WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS

The first vegetable to come up in the spring garden. 100 roots will supply the average family and will last for years. Set 10 inches apart in rows. Spread the roots out in the bottom of the holes and tamp soil firmly. Plant so that there is about 2 inches of soil over the crowns of the plants. 2-year-old roots, \$1.00 per doz.; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$6.00, postpaid.



Here's What We Mean By "Heavy Bearing" Blueberries

3114 GIGANTIC RED MacDONALD RHUBARB FOR GIANT STALKS, DELICIOUS FLAVOR

Stalks are of giant size on mature plants, and a rich rosy red in color. This beautiful color carries through the stalk. Flavor is mild and pleasing. This new Rhubarb never becomes tough or stringy. Just cut in small chunks and cook. Do not remove the tender skin; it cooks right up with the stalk. Nice 2-year divisions, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$5.00, postpaid.

Krider's Heavy Bearing GRAPES

All Are Heavy Rooted, 2-yr. Plants

- ✓ 3126 SENECA The new yellow California type Grape. Tender, thin skin which can be eaten with the berry, fine dessert Grape. Vine vigorous, hardy, productive. Ripens early. Price: 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

- ✓ 3117 CONCORD One of the most popular and reliable Grapes ever grown. Bunch is large, compact and well shouldered. Berries are large and round, almost black in color with blue bloom. Juicy and delicious with a very sweet, buttery flavor.

- ✓ 3119 MOORE'S EARLY A large Grape ripening about a week earlier than Concord. Rapid grower. Berries large and of excellent quality. Makes a good moderate yield and is valuable as an early Grape.

- ✓ 3120 NIAGARA Occupies the same position among the white varieties that Concord does among the blacks. Bunch and berries are large, greenish white changing to pale yellow when fully ripe. Skin is thin but very tough.

- ✓ 3122 CATAWBA Early red Grape. Fruit extra large, the bunches are compact and of good size. Flavor is of the finest. Fruit is sweet and juicy.

PRICES OF ABOVE GRAPES (except Seneca)

2-yr. vines,
40c each; 5 for \$1.75;
10 for \$2.75; 25 for
\$6.50, postpaid.

WRITE FOR PRICES ON
LARGER QUANTITIES.

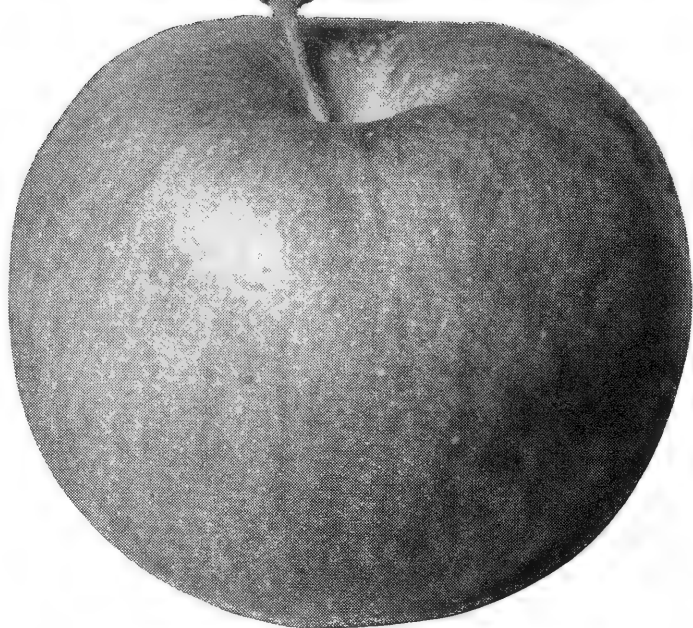
3125 SPECIAL! RED, WHITE and BLUE GRAPE COLLECTION

3 One Catawba, red. \$1.00
One Niagara, white.
One Concord, blue.

THREE SPLENDID VARIETIES
A \$1.20 VALUE—POSTPAID

Famous "Old Reliable"
Concord Grape





Krider's APPLE TREES

- ✓ **3200 DOUBLE RED DELICIOUS.** Red Delicious is a marvelous improvement over the common Delicious. It is a much deeper color without stripes where the common Delicious would be striped red and partly green. Even in the heavily shaded portions of the tree the color is outstanding. Probably the most popular of all eating Apples. Largest seller in markets. Very highly flavored and stays crisp and juicy.
- ✓ **3201 YELLOW DELICIOUS.** Similar to Red Delicious in shape. Fruit rich yellow color. Early bearing. Winter. Flesh fine grained, crisp, juicy and melting, and really delicious. The tree is a hardy and vigorous grower, and forms a strong, beautiful head capable of bearing enormous loads.
- ✓ **3202 YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Medium white, changing to lemon-yellow, smooth waxy surface; of good quality, with crisp flesh; very early, and for an early Apple, an unusually good keeper. Valuable for market. July.
- ✓ **3203 GRIMES GOLDEN.** The standard of excellence, of the best quality, rich golden color. Flesh is yellow, very firm, crisp but tender, rich, aromatic and juicy. Medium to large. An ideal dessert and cooking Apple. Tree is a hardy, vigorous, upright grower, and a heavy, regular bearer.
- ✓ **3204 RED JONATHAN.** A beautiful red Apple, highly flavored and of excellent quality, being tender, juicy, spicy, and rich—a splendid family sort and highly profitable for market. Tree long-lived, productive, and an early bearer.
- ✓ **3205 McINTOSH.** Large, deep crimson and beautiful. Tree is hardy and vigorous. Flesh pure white, crisp and very tender. A good regular bearer. Has justly proved itself a favorite in the Apple Belt, and a good market variety.

PRICES OF ABOVE APPLE TREES

Your Choice: Well Rooted, 9/16 in.,
2-year, 4 to 6 ft., \$1.60 each; 5 for \$7.50;
10 for \$12.75; 25 for \$27.50, prepaid.

Write for prices if interested in lots of 100 or more trees.

3300 5-N-1 APPLE

**EACH TREE IS A COMPLETE APPLE ORCHARD
FOR CITY LOTS OR WHERE SPACE IS LIMITED**

Think of having five delicious varieties of Apples on one tree. Will provide an abundance of fresh fruit from June until winter. Double Red Delicious, Anoka, Double Red Rome Beauty, Yellow Delicious, Double Red Jonathan, Yellow Transparent, all budded on one sturdy Red Delicious tree, making really six varieties in all. A complete Apple orchard.

NICE 2-YEAR, 4- to 5-Ft. TREES

\$2.75 ea.; 2 for \$5.00 Prepaid

3234 MOORPARK THE BEST APRICOT

Extremely valuable as a fresh fruit and a superior fruit for canning or drying. There is always a good market for Apricots at top prices. One of the largest and finest Apricots. Rich yellow with orange blush. Flesh sweet and juicy, and rich. Freestone and very productive.

NICE 3- to 4-ft. TREES

\$1.75 ea.; 3 for \$4.50 Prepaid

DWARF TREES for CITY PLANTING or LIMITED SPACE

The perfect answer to the problem of planting trees where space is very limited. These dwarf trees may be set as close as ten feet apart when necessary. Begin to bear at a very early age.

For city lots they are ideal. Take little space, do not give heavy shade to lawn areas and fruit can be picked easily from the ground.

✓ DWARF APPLE

3211 Dwarf Red Delicious

3212 Dwarf Early McIntosh

3213 Dwarf Jonathan

3244

✓ DWARF PEAR—Bartlett

Your Choice of Apple and Pear Trees:

**Sturdy, 2-year, 3 to 4 feet high, 9/16 in.
caliper trees, \$3.25 each; 2 for \$6.00; 4 for
\$11.00, prepaid.**



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**\$2.00
Premium
Offer**

**5-N-1 TREES
Bear Heavily
and Regularly**

PEACH TREES

BUDED FROM BEARING WOOD

EARLY VARIETIES

✓ **3225 GOLDEN JUBILEE.** (Freestone.) Tree habits resemble Elberta. The skin is yellow with red blush; flesh golden yellow; tender and sweet. Fruit oblong and rather flattened in shape. Brings top market prices because it is early and has a superior flavor.

✓ **3233 JERSEYLAND.** A beautiful and flavorful variety, ripening very early—in most sections about five weeks before Elberta. Fruits are medium size with solid red skin. Flesh is firm and clear yellow. A freestone.

MIDSEASON VARIETIES

✓ **3228 HALE-HAVEN.** (Freestone.) New, hardy, rot-resistant Peach, as large and fine as Elberta. Roundish with yellow skin, red blush on sunny side, yellow flesh; tender and melting; rich, sweet, and of superior flavor. A big, early Peach of high quality, is sure to be in good demand. From August 15th.

✓ **3234 SUNHIGH.** An extremely heavy producer annually. A large Peach with uniform bright red color all over. Will hold its wonderful color and remain firm on the tree for a week after fruit is ripe. A hardy type and freestone.

✓ **3230 CHAMPION.** (Freestone.) Large, round, quite regular, yellowish white, mottled with red on sunny side, flesh white with red at the pit. One of the best in quality for nearby markets and home use. It is a healthy grower and hardy in fruit bud. The fruit ripens from 20th of August.

LATE VARIETIES

✓ **3231 ELBERTA.** (Freestone.) The great market Peach. Many consider it the best all-around Peach; lemon-yellow color with blush on sunny side. Flesh pale yellow, tender and juicy. Tree vigorous. An excellent shipping Peach. September.

✓ **3235 TRIOGEM.** One of the finest appearing and finest tasting varieties. Deep red color lasts for days and flesh remains firm and of splendid texture for long period of time. A valuable Peach for home or market. Trees are hardy and will give you loads of Peaches year after year.

PRICES OF ABOVE PEACH TREES

Heavy rooted, 2-yr., 7/16 in. cal.,

3 to 4 ft. trees:

\$1.35 each; 6 for \$7.25;

10 for \$11.85; 100 for \$65.00

Prepaid

Write for prices on larger quantities for orchard planting.



NEW DWARF PEACH

Throw Away Your Ladders! Stand on the ground and pick bushels of Peaches. Bears the Second Year Planted.

To our knowledge, we are the first to offer a Dwarf Peach, grown on our special hardy, dwarf understock. This special understock assures you the tree will never grow more than 6 feet tall—takes up small space in your yard. A beautiful ornamental when in bloom. Heavy producer; enough delicious fruit for you and your neighbor. Trees grown on this special understock will bear for years and years as it is much longer-lived.

We offer this wonderful tree in two varieties, as described at left above. Specify kind wanted: 3251 Hale-Haven, 3252 Golden Jubilee.

PRICES: 1-yr., 2-3 ft. trees, \$2.75 each; 2 for \$5.00; 4 for \$9.00, prepaid.

PLEASE NOTE:

We do not ship ANY fruit trees into the following states: California, Washington, Oregon, Montana, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona and Florida.

Favorite PEAR TREES

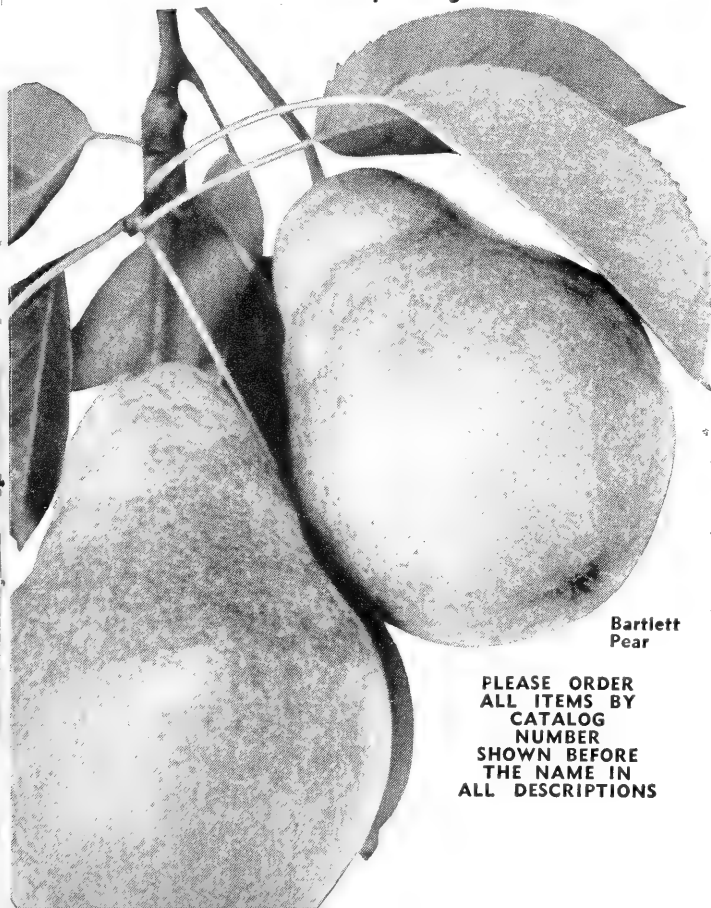
✓ **3240 BARTLETT.** Large size, with a beautiful blush next to the sun; buttery, very juicy and high flavored; the tree is a strong grower and a young and abundant bearer. August and September.

✓ **3241 FLEMISH BEAUTY.** A large, beautiful, melting sweet Pear. Tree is very hardy, vigorous and productive. Succeeds well in all climates. September.

✓ **3242 SUGAR PEAR.** Remember the delicious sweet Sugar Pears we used to watch for in the late summer? Why not plant a few of these trees and grow your own. None better to eat or for spicing. Melting flavor and trees bear unusually heavy crops.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE PEAR TREES

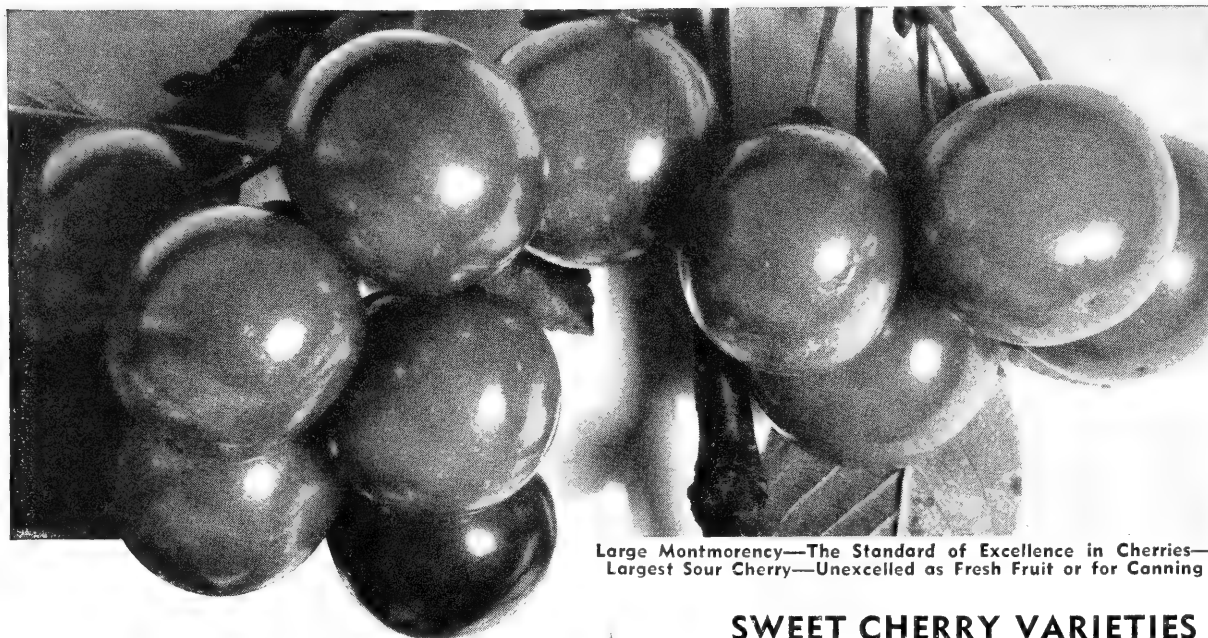
Well rooted, 9/16 in., 4- to 5-ft. trees, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75; 6 for \$9.00, prepaid.



Bartlett Pear

PLEASE ORDER
ALL ITEMS BY
CATALOG
NUMBER
SHOWN BEFORE
THE NAME IN
ALL DESCRIPTIONS

Krider's Early Bearing CHERRY TREES



Large Montmorency—The Standard of Excellence in Cherries—
Largest Sour Cherry—Unexcelled as Fresh Fruit or for Canning

SOUR CHERRY VARIETIES

3244 **LARGE MONTMORENCY.** Everywhere the most popular. Tree strong, thrifty grower, making a large symmetrical head; fruit is large size, dark red, melting, juicy, sprightly acid flavor, and is especially valuable for cooking purposes. This is the large dark red Cherry so much used for locker storage after quick freezing. The kind grown by large commercial orchardists and canned for the markets. Unequalled for Cherry pies or for fresh fruit after canning or freezing.

3245 **EARLY RICHMOND.** The Cherry for those first juicy Cherry pies. Earliest ripening Cherry and a heavy producer of fruit. Large and light red in color. Bring top prices on early markets and very desirable for home canning or drying. Trees bear when quite small and long waits for a fruit crop are done away with when you plant a few trees of Early Richmond.

GOOSEBERRIES

3124 **PIXWELL.** The new Gooseberry originated at North Dakota Experiment Station; as the name implies, it picks well. Berries hang on slender stems 2 inches below regular branches, making them easy to pick. Large, oval, light green berries turning to pink when ripe. Yield enormous crops; very hardy.

Prices: 2-yr., No. 1, 80c each; 2 for \$1.55; 5 for \$3.75; 10 for \$7.20, prepaid.

3108 RED LAKE CURRANTS

The finest of all red Currants. Extra large berries in large, full, well-formed bunches. Sweeter, less acid and a better keeper than other varieties. Yield is enormous, making a very dependable money-maker for commercial growers.

Prices: 2-yr. plants, 50c each; 2 for 90c; 5 for \$2.10; 10 for \$3.75, prepaid.

Note: Gooseberries and Currants cannot be shipped into the following states: California, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Connecticut, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, Wisconsin, New Jersey, and West Virginia.

SWEET CHERRY VARIETIES

3246 **BLACK BING.** This black Cherry bears fruit of large size and deep color. Flesh very solid, flavor of the highest quality; tree thrifty, upright grower, very hardy and productive; a fine shipping and market variety. Also excellent for drying and home canning. May be used for locker storage after quick freezing. Always brings top prices on the market due to its large size and deep color.

3247 **WINDSOR.** Tree upright, and a rapid grower; fruit large, roundish, oblong, very firm and juicy; flesh pinkish and sometimes streaked; quality very good; a productive bearer; has attracted attention owing to its large size and shiny deep maroon color.

3248 **NAPOLEON or ROYAL ANN.** A beautiful Cherry of large size, pale yellow with bright red cheek; flesh firm and sweet; one of the best for market and canning.

YOUR CHOICE OF THE SOUR AND SWEET CHERRY VARIETIES:

Nice, 2-Yr., 9'16", 3- to 4-ft. trees, \$1.90 each; 3 for \$5.50; 6 for \$10.00, prepaid.

SELECTED VARIETIES OF PLUM TREES

3236 **STANLEY PRUNE.** Beautiful large Prune-Plum. Sweet, rich and juicy. Hardy in all sections and one of the best Plums you can grow. Deep blue color.

3250 SUPERIOR Semi-Dwarf, Young Bearing

Beautiful wine-red skin covered with purple bloom. Yellow flesh is delicious, sweet and juicy; freestone. A very good all-around Plum for every purpose. Trees bear early and yield big crops of extra large Plums. A very hardy variety, recommended for northern and western states. Plant 2 trees for best results.

3238 **REINE CLAUDE.** Very large, juicy Plum with golden yellow skin and flesh. Sweet and flavorful and an excellent Plum for canning or for use as fresh fruit.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE PLUMS
Well rooted, 2-yr., 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.90 each;
3 for \$5.25, prepaid.

(Write for prices if interested in large quantities.)

Enrich Your Home Surroundings for the Future—

Favored Varieties of SHADE TREES

3413 NORWAY MAPLE

This is an exceptionally fine hardy, large-leaved shade tree. Noted for its resistance to disease and for its long life. **Heavy rooted trees, 6 to 8 ft. tall, only \$2.75 each; 4 for \$10.00.**

3414 SILVER MAPLE

The fastest growing of the Maples. Much used for street planting because they make a good, quick shade. Foliage of a light green, silvery on the under side and slightly cut-leaved. Color beautifully in the fall. Not as long lived as the Schwedler's or Norway Maples, but will grow quickly and provide good shade for the ordinary lifetime. **Nice 6- to 8-ft. trees, \$2.25 each; 4 for \$8.00.**

CHINESE ELM FOR QUICK SHADE

The fastest growing shade tree known today. It is much used in the arid sections of the West because of its extreme hardiness and the ease with which it can be grown. Equally valuable for wind-breaks or for specimen planting. May also be planted 18 inches apart and kept sheared for hedging.

3420—6- to 8-ft. trees, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.00

3421—5- to 6-ft. trees, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.50

←
Norway
Maple

3418 Special on CHINESE ELM for Screening Purposes

Nice 3- to 4-ft. size. Ideal for screening, wind-breaks and backgrounds. Plant 5 to 6 feet apart. A real value at this low price. Grow very rapidly.

10 As Described Above \$3.50, Prepaid

**THORNLESS, SEEDLESS, HARD WOOD,
FAST GROWING, LONG LIVED**

3434 NEW "MORaine" LOCUST

Plant Patent No. 836

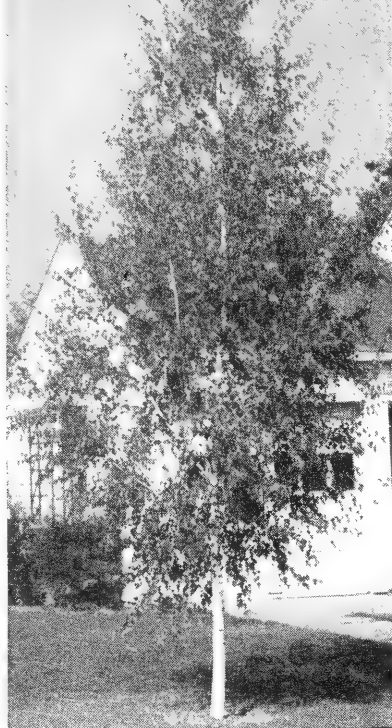
AMERICA'S GREAT NEW SHADE TREE

Developed and introduced by Siebenthaler Company of Dayton, Ohio. The perfect answer to the demand for a clean, fast-growing, long-lived shade tree.

The MORaine LOCUST is a round headed tree when young but tall and vase-shaped when older. Mature trees attain a height of 80 to 100 feet with lower branches high enough to clear a two-story house. This feature permits planting the tree closer to the house than is the case with most other trees. Leaflets are small and in the fall they drift in between the grass blades on the lawn making very little raking or clean up. Very little pruning is needed as the lower limbs self prune as the tree grows. Tests show this new tree to grow more rapidly than either Silver Maple or Chinese Elm. It withstands drought and heat and cold. Thrives under adverse city conditions as well as on the plains where rainfall is slight. Excellent for either lawn or street planting. One of the best new tree introductions for American homes.

NICE 5- to 6-ft. TREES, \$6.00 each; 2 for \$11.00.

Chinese Elm—Fast Growing



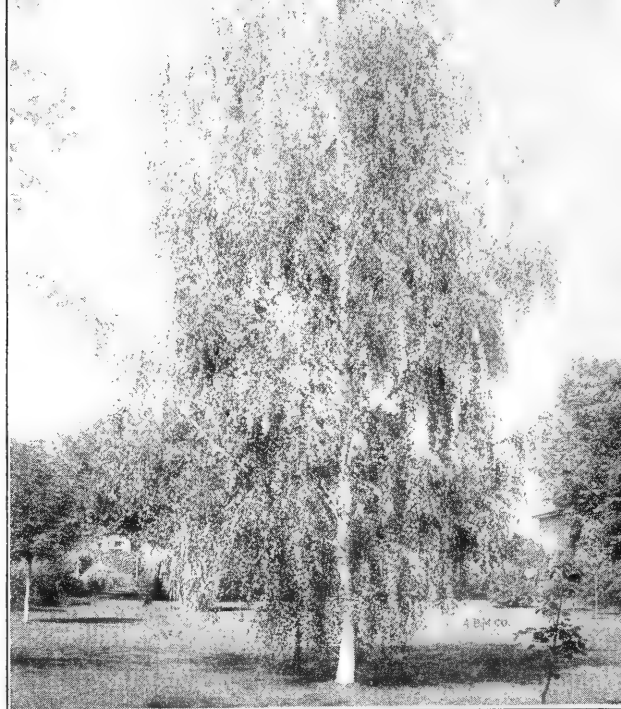
European or Paper White Birch

SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES

TO ENRICH YOUR
LAWN PLANTINGS

3433 EUROPEAN OR PAPER WHITE BIRCH

Loved for its white bark and graceful habit of growth. Fast grower, snowy white bark appears soon after planting, giving charm in winter as well as summer. Not particular as to location or soil condition. Height at maturity about 30 to 40 ft. Plant in groups of three, if multiple tree is desired. **5- to 6-ft. trees, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.00.**



Cut-Leaved Weeping Birch

3422

GOLDEN CHAIN TREE

(Laburnum Vossii) For Color and Shade

An exotic dwarf tree which brings golden glory to your plantings. Grows about 20 feet high normally but may be kept trimmed and grown in shrub form if desired. Foliage is highly ornamental and in May the branches are literally covered with rich, golden yellow blooms which hang in loose panicles sometimes a foot in length. Individual florets resemble a Sweet Pea blossom. Use with shrubs in the border or as specimens on the lawn but allow plenty of room for it to develop a shapely form. Does well in sun or semi-shade with ordinary soil conditions. **Nice well rooted, 4- to 5- ft. trees, \$3.00 each; 2 for \$5.50.**

3417 LOMBARDY POPLAR

Tall, slender growing tree for formal planting. Rapid grower and at a distance the mature trees appear as tall sentinels. Dark green leaves, lighter shade on under side. The roots of the Lombardy Poplar will not grow into and clog sewers, etc., as did the old Carolina Poplar. **6- to 8-ft. trees, \$1.50 each; 10 for \$10.00.**

(See below for smaller sizes.)

3419 LOMBARDY POPLARS For Screening Purposes

Nice 3- to 4-ft. size. Ideal for screening, windbreaks and back-grounds. Plant 5 to 6 feet apart. A real value at this low price. Grow very rapidly.

10 As described **\$3.50**
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3429 ROSE TREE OF CHINA PRUNUS TRILOBA

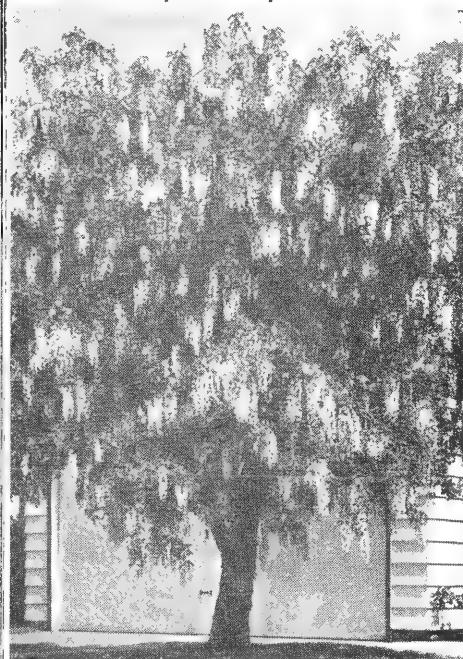
Wonderful dwarf variety of the flowering family. Blooms early in the spring before the leaves appear. The small tree seems decked with garlands of double flowers, pink in color. Very good for the border or specimens. Grows 6 ft. high. **Nice 2-yr., 3-ft. trees, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00, prepaid.**

3410 CUT-LEAVED WEEPING BIRCH

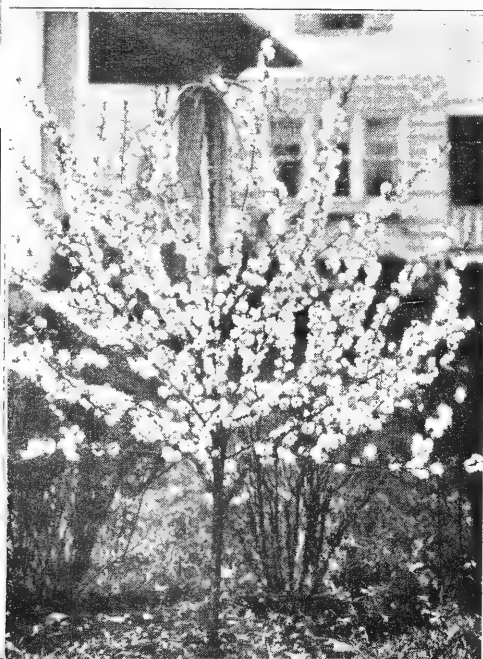
ONE OF THE MOST LOVED
OF ALL TREES

No other tree occupies quite the place in the hearts of home builders that this graceful tree does. Its white bark, pendulous branches, delicate green foliage, deeply cut leaves, endear it to all who want a tree both for shade and ornament. A beautiful effect is created by planting three of them as a triangle, about 20 feet apart. **Nice straight 5- to 6-ft. trees, \$3.50 each; 2 for \$6.00.**

Lombardy Poplar—For Quick Screens



Colorful Golden Chain Tree
Rose Tree of China for Dainty Spring Beauty



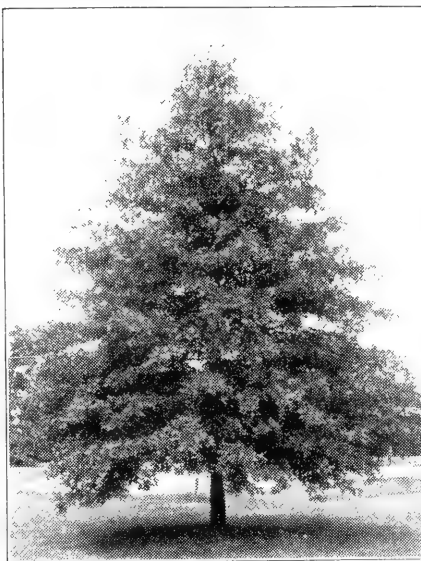
UNUSUAL SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES

3438 NEW "HARLEQUIN" VARIEGATED-LEAVED MAPLE

Harlequin, in our opinion, is the most beautiful shade tree in existence today. It is a Norway Maple with a variegated leaf. Imagine leaves that are green in the center with a beautiful ivory edging. If you live where you can raise Norway Maple, you can raise Harlequin. The symmetrical, round top makes it a beauty and it grows to about 30 ft.

Our supply is very limited, so order early. While they last, strong trees: **5-6 ft., \$4.50 each; 2 for \$8.50.**

Harlequin Variegated-Leaved Maple



Pin Oak

3440 PIN OAK

A noble and attractive shade tree, one of the best of all Oaks. Develops into a handsome, tall, branching pyramid with drooping branches as it matures. One of the fastest growing of the Oak family. Has beautiful, rich green, carved foliage turning into gay orange and red coloring in fall. Very long lived and hardy. Stands 40 to 50 feet tall at maturity. **Price: 5- to 6-ft. trees, \$4.00 each; 2 for \$7.50.**

3437 SYCAMORE

The tree of song and poetry. Beloved for its large leaves, erect growth and the patchy white bark as tree ages. A beautiful native tree and one which should be more widely planted. **Heavy rooted, 5- to 6-ft., well branched trees, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.50.**

See pages 61 and 62 for additional colorful shade and flowering ornamental trees—also note Dogwoods and Magnolias next page.

3408 WEEPING WILLOW FAST GROWING, GRACEFUL, ORNAMENTAL

The well known graceful Weeping Willow whose long drooping branches, densely covered with fresh green leaves, make it one of the best loved trees. Rapid grower. **5- to 6-ft. trees, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.50, prepaid.**

Weeping Willow for Graceful Beauty

3406 TULIP TREE STATE TREE OF INDIANA

One of the loveliest of our native trees, and the state tree of Indiana. Tall growing, of shapely habit, and its large irregular leaves make it ideal for quick shade. Bears numerous Tulip-like flowers in spring. Blooms are yellow, marked at inside of base with orange. **3- to 4-ft. trees, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00, prepaid.**

Sycamore

Flowering Tulip Tree

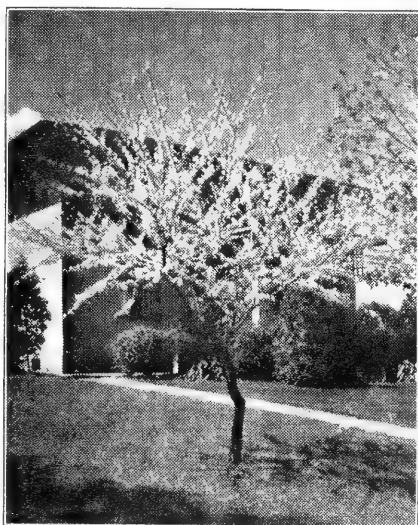
ORNAMENTAL TREES for MORE BEAUTIFUL HOME SURROUNDINGS

Real Values in Selected, Well Rooted, Field-Grown Stock

Two Gorgeous Hardy MAGNOLIAS

YOUR CHOICE—PINK OR RED

Among the finest of all ornamentals are these hardy Magnolias. Large bell-shaped blooms measuring 5 to 7 inches across. Beautiful waxen sheen. Plants begin blooming when quite small, many times flowering in the nursery row when 18 to 24 inches tall. Usually bloom for the customer the second season after transplanting. Eventually attain a height of 10 to 12 feet in midwest and northern climates. Set in good soil and keep well watered first season. Annual fertilizing helps to promote good growth.



Redbud—Glorious in Early Spring

Nice, 4-year-old,
18- to 24-in. plants,

Your Choice
3400 RED
3401 PINK

**\$2.75 each;
2 for \$5.00**

Postpaid

3403 REDBUD

(*Cercis Canadensis*)

One of the handsomest of the new low growing flat-topped trees. Attains a height of about 15 feet at maturity. Along the numerous, wide spreading branches, rose-lavender blooms appear before the tree leafs out in spring. Flowers are so thick the tree appears as a small pink cloud. Due to the extreme hardness of the wood, the tree is usually very late in leafing out. Nice 3- to 4-ft. plants, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00, prepaid.



Above, Hardy Magnolias
Left Bloom, Soulangeana, Pink
Right Bloom, Niger, Red

Plant ornamental trees as
early as possible in spring.
We can ship any time after
January 15th.

FLOWERING DOGWOODS

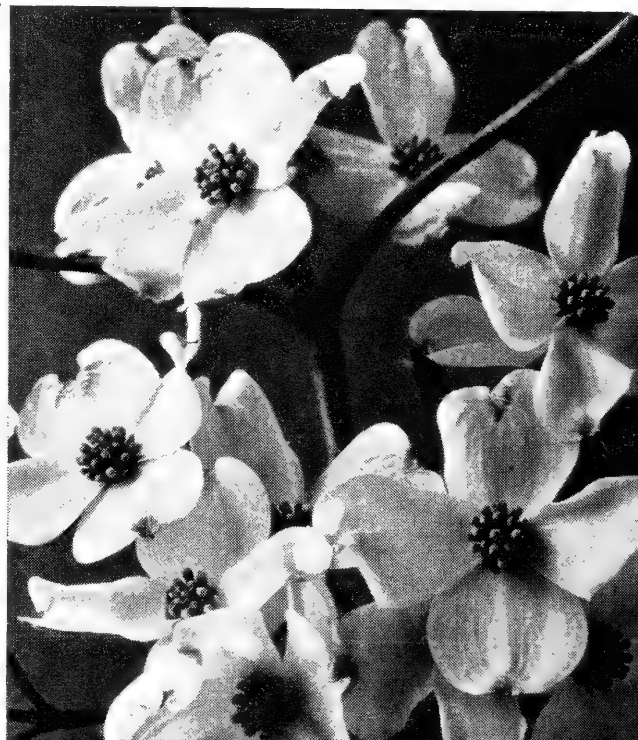
FOR EXQUISITE SPRING BEAUTY—
RICH IN LEGEND AND SENTIMENT—DO WELL
IN ALL SECTIONS

3431 WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD

Our most beautiful native flowering tree. The leaves are oval, bright green, and turn to shades of red in the fall. Early in spring the large white Dogwood blossoms come and present a sight to please the most exacting. Heavy rooted, 2- to 3-ft. trees, only \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.50, postpaid.

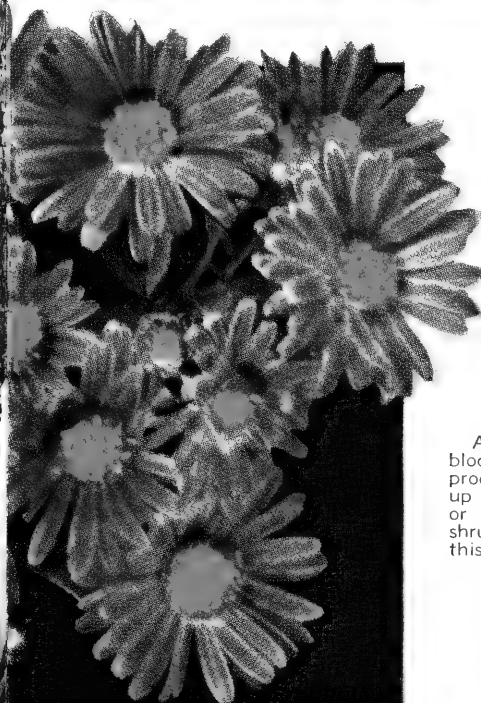
3423 PINK FLOWERING DOGWOOD THE TRUE BUDDED CORNUS FLORIDA RUBRA

The large reddish pink flowers which come before the leaves appear in the spring, present a vision of loveliness against the new green of an early spring lawn. Foliage is a deep green turning to rich bronzy red in autumn. Ideal as a specimen plant or fine for group plantings. 2-ft. trees, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.50, postpaid.



BRILLIANT PERENNIALS

WILL GIVE YOU BLOOMS OVER A LONG SEASON
ALL ARE 2-YEAR, FIELD-GROWN—WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER



Hardy Aster "The Bishop"

4114 CHARMING HARDY HYBRID PRIMROSES

This strain of Hardy Primroses is almost beyond the power of words to describe. Individual florets are as large as a half dollar—and several of them are grouped in each cluster. Color mixture is superb, including many of the new pastel shadings. This is the finest strain of Hardy Primrose we have ever seen and you will have to see them on your own grounds to really appreciate just how spectacular they are. We offer nice 2-yr. plants in mixed colors only at 55c each; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.00, postpaid.



Giant Flowering
Hardy Hybrid
Primroses

BEST OF THE HARDY FALL ASTERS

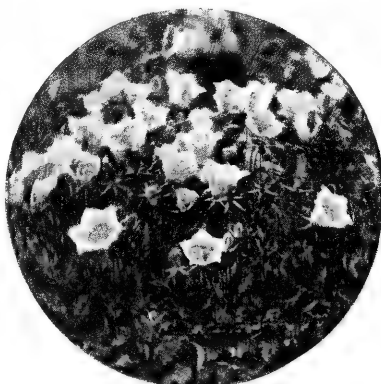
Colorful Fall Gardens and Borders

4135 HARRINGTON'S PINK

Without doubt the Harrington's Pink Aster has been one of the most beautiful new plants to be placed on the market. Its rich, clear pink color, good growing habits, hardiness and free blooming qualities have made it one of the largest sellers and most popular of perennial plants. We have a nice stock of these in 2-year, field-grown plants and we know you will be pleased when they start blooming in your garden late this summer when other blooms are scarce. 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.

4194 THE BISHOP

A mound of rich loveliness in late summer and fall when blooms are scarce. You'll love the profusion with which it produces its colorful blooms. Sturdy and hardy, it will come up year after year and provide beauty in the perennial bed or bright contrast when planted in front of or among shrubs in the border. Two-year plants which will bloom this summer. 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.



4158 DAINTY DWARF BLUEBELLS of SCOTLAND

CAMPANULA CARPATICA

Dainty blue bell flowers are borne on 4- to 6-inch stems above a low mound of bright green foliage. Withstands drought and heat but also does well in partial shade. One of the most beloved of dwarf perennials. Nice 2-yr. field-grown plants, 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Hardy Aster, Harrington's Pink

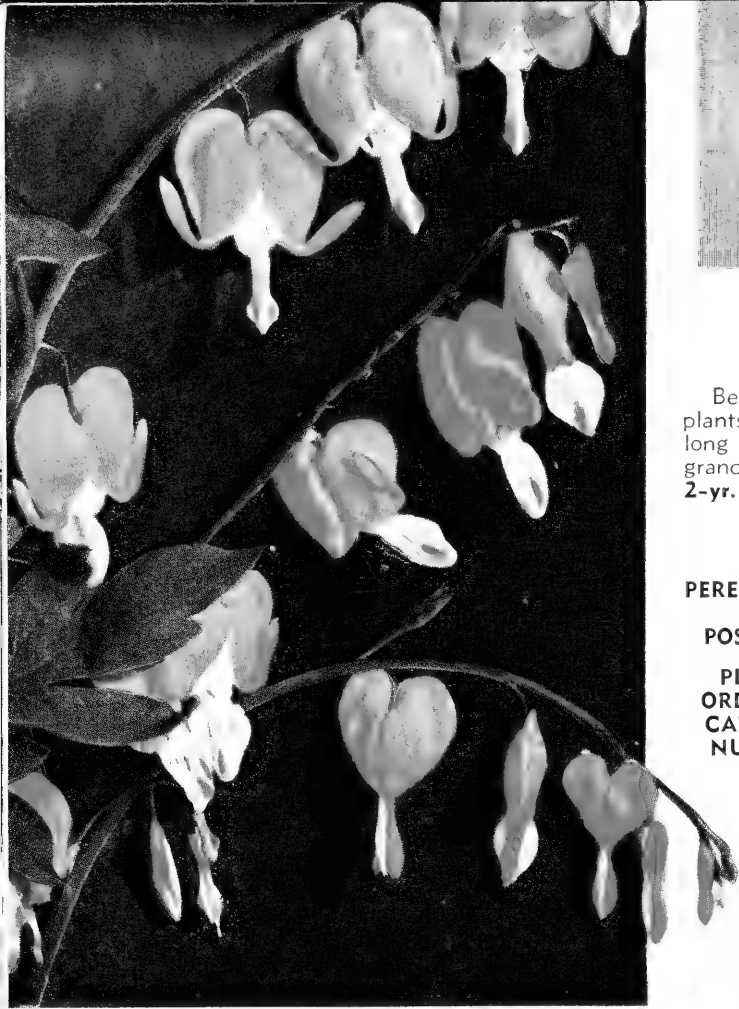
"CRIMSON 4103 STAR"

MOST BRILLIANT OF ALL THE
COLUMBINES—GOOD FOR CUTTING

Very scarce and so much in demand that many growers cannot keep up with the demand. Planted in groups they present a lovely sight when in full bloom. Grow about 2 feet tall. Rich dark crimson sepals and spurs, in wonderful contrast to the white petals—a combination of colors entirely new in Aquilegias. Flowers are extra large; plants are vigorous and free flowering. Beautiful in the garden or when cut. 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.

"Crimson Star" Aquilegia





Beloved Old-Fashioned Bleeding Heart

COLORFUL

Exquisite Garden Beauty At
Low Cost . . . Bloom This Summer

4131 GENUINE OLD-FASHIONED • BLEEDING HEART •

Beloved by all. One of the most delightful of the spring-flowering plants. Bears numerous rosy red, heart-shaped flowers pendent on long arching stems. Grows to a height of 2 feet. It was a favorite in grandmother's day and is still good. Don't fail to get it at this price. 2-yr. roots, 70c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

ALL
PERENNIALS
ARE
POSTPAID

PLEASE
ORDER BY
CATALOG
NUMBER



Old-Fashioned Sweet William, for Gay Color

4161 CHARMING SWEET WILLIAMS

One of the best loved old-fashioned flowers. No garden is complete without a few of these plants. Very easy to grow and sure prolific bloomers. Will add much color and charm to the beds or border. We offer heavy rooted plants, in mixed colors only, which will bloom this summer. Grow about 2 feet tall. Nice plants for bloom this year, 35c each; 4 for \$1.25; 8 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Giant Flowering Pacific Hybrid Delphinium



4108 PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM

Words cannot adequately describe the elegance and beauty of this marvelous new strain of Hybrid Delphinium. Giant stalks bearing flower spikes of enormous size. Individual florets are each perfect and exceptionally large, measuring as much as 2½ inches across. Being Hybrids we cannot ship plants by color or guarantee what shade the plant will bloom, but they run the range of blues, lavenders and mixed shades.

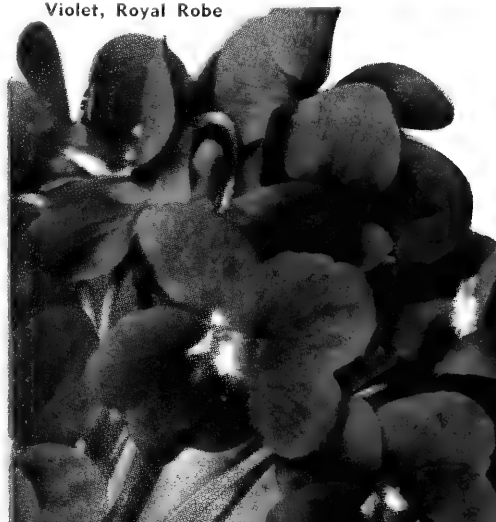
Plant 12 to 18 inches apart in good garden soil. Keep well watered and fertilized with frequent shallow cultivation. These plants will bloom this summer. 50c each; 4 for \$1.50; 12 for \$3.95, postpaid.

4195 GIANT VIOLET "Royal Robe"

Beautiful extra large flowers of deepest violet-blue. Very fragrant, a few flowers will fill an entire room with their exquisite odor.

Plants are very rugged with plenty of foliage and bloom profusely in April and May and again in late fall. Flowers on erect stems of 6 to 8 inches or more. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

Violet, Royal Robe



PERENNIALS

Easy To Grow—Lovely To Look At—
All Are Nice 2-Yr., Field-Grown Plants

4179 TRULY SENSATIONAL ASTILBE "GRANATA"

Use Liberally for Bright Spots of Color in Your
Garden or Borders—Splendid for Cutting

This brilliant Astilbe produces literally masses of plummy spires of bright red. A fibrous root sends up enormous stems to a height of about 20 inches, each stems topped with a gorgeously colored plume of red. As roots age stems become more and more numerous and more flower plumes appear. **Nice 2-yr. roots, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.**

Iris "Shilka"
the Poor Man's
Orchid—Blossoms
Freely—is Hardy
Most Anywhere
and is Fine for
Cutting

Buffalo, N. Y.
Gentlemen: May 1, 1955
I have received your prompt
and pleasing shipment of per-
ennials. Thank you very much
for sending me such healthy
and splendidly rooted
plants right in very good
time for placement. You
certainly do grow the best
stock I've ever handled.
Gratefully,
E. S. S.



Hardy and Brilliant—Astilbe "Granata"

4134 - "POOR MAN'S ORCHID"

IRIS SHILKA

Many years ago as a crowded, uncomfortable train puffed its way across the endless barren plains of Siberia, Prof. Hansen, an American passenger, was electrified by the sight of patches of what appeared to be Orchids blooming in that desolate region, near the small town of Shilka. As the train stopped at the station, Prof. Hansen left it to satisfy his curiosity. When he made a closer inspection of the plants he found them to be of the Iris family, but their form and color so closely resembled the Orchid that he immediately thought of the descriptive phrase, "Poor Man's Orchid." He secured several of the plants and brought them home to America with him. Several years of propagation and development showed them to be perfectly adapted to our climate and they were placed on the market under the name of **Iris Shilka**, recalling the name of the small Siberian town where they were first found. **We offer nice field-grown plants, blooming size, 45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

See Page 47
for \$2.00
Premium
Offer

TWO CHARMING HARDY CARNATIONS

4111 "TRIUMPH ROSE", Pink

One of the most exquisite in color and fragrance of all the hardy Carnations. A good grower and produces blooms freely from early summer until freezing weather. Stems 12 to 15 inches long make them ideal for cutting. Large Carnation blooms of clear rosy pink color and exotic fragrance. Blooms run 90% double. **Field-grown plants will bloom this year.**

4112 "BLACK KNIGHT"

Spicy Fragrance—Fine for Cutting
Bright satiny blackish red color, exquisite fragrance and general hardiness make this beautiful Carnation a necessity in every garden. Grows 12 to 15 inches high and blooms all through the summer. Flowers are 90 per cent double, although a plant will throw a single bloom now and then. **Field-grown plants, will bloom this year.**

YOUR CHOICE OF THE CARNATIONS

ABOVE:
35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75;
12 for \$3.00; 24 for \$5.00, postpaid.

Carnation,
Black Knight

Pink Carnation, "Triumph Rose"

TWELVE OF THE WORLD'S FINEST VARIETIES OF HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

DO NOT ALLOW YOUR PHLOX TO GO TO SEED—This is Very Important

Keep blooms cut as they fade. If you permit plants to go to seed they will drop hundreds of seeds right around the base of the plant. Next year masses of seedlings will spring up. These usually have the old magenta color and soon kill out your true variety. This soon makes the bed a mass of seedlings.

4121

WE ARE ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST GROWERS OF HARDY PHLOX—BUY DIRECT AND SAVE

These Are All 2-Yr., Field-Grown Roots—Will Bloom Abundantly This Summer Over a Long Season—These Plants Have All Bloomed In Our Fields and Will Bloom for You

Plant Phlox Roots 12 Inches Apart for Bedding—They Are Also Excellent for Planting Among Evergreens to Create Bright Spots of Color

4201

4201 Elizabeth Arden. Pink.

4204 Starlight. Blue, white eye.

4202 Pink Beauty. Pink, white eye.

4121 Prime Minister. White, red eye.

4117 Marie Louise. White.

4125 E. I. Farrington. Salmon.

4120 Blue Boy. Blue.

4123 Charles Curtis. Orange.

4116 Bright Eyes. Rose, dark eye.

4126 July Glow. Red.

4218 Brigadier. Violet.

4193 American Beauty. Pink.

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Perfectly hardy, easy to grow; one of the most satisfactory and worthwhile plants you can put in your perennial garden. Wonderful for cutting as well as to make brilliant accent spots in a border.

Use Them Liberally!!

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The twelve varieties which we offer on this page we believe to be the twelve best varieties grown today. They are hardy, many are proven new varieties, their colorings are the finest produced and they will give you satisfaction and pleasure wherever planted.

YOUR CHOICE OF THE 12 OUTSTANDING VARIETIES SHOWN ON THESE PAGES

40c Each; Any 6 for \$2.00;
Any 12 for \$3.25, Postpaid
Order by Catalog Number Shown

Special!
HARDY PHLOX
Collection

12 One of each, or your choice of the twelve varieties shown on this page \$3.25
2 Collections (24) \$6.00; 4 Collections (48) \$11.00
ALL PLANTS POSTPAID

KRIDER'S DAZZLING DOZEN HARDY PHLOX for 1956

See Page 47 for \$2.00 Premium Offer



PERENNIALS

BLOOM OVER A LONG SEASON

All Are Nice 2-Yr., Field-Grown Plants

4105 GIANT DAISY "SUPREME"

Immense giant white blooms, often measuring 4 inches across, with a bright golden center. Stems are long, 24 to 36 inches, and hold blooms stiffly erect. All the hardiness of the Shasta Daisy family but so far superior in size and quality of blooms that the older types are rendered obsolete. There was only one name to give this remarkable Daisy and that was "SUPREME", because it really stands supreme among all white Daisies we have ever seen. Blooms heavily and profusely over a long period in June and July. **2-yr., field-grown roots which will bloom this summer. 40c each; 4 for \$1.50; 8 for \$2.75, postpaid.**

4196 GORGEOUS DOUBLE DAISY "MAJESTIC"

Largest and best Daisy of them all. Its immense white flowers are beauties, 5 inches in diameter with yellow center. Has a double row of straight and overlapping petals making the flowers full and compact, giving it great value in bouquets. It has wonderful large flowers; straight long stems for cutting; is a healthy, strong, vigorous grower; blooms medium early. Will bloom this year. **50c each; 4 for \$1.75, postpaid.**

4188 EVERBLOOMING HARDY SWEET PEA "PINK BEAUTY"

(Not Illustrated)

A climbing and hardy form of Sweet Pea. "Pink Beauty" is everblooming, excellent for cutting, blooms from early summer until late fall, quickly covering a fence, arbor or trellis. Can also be used as ground cover for banks or grades where grass won't grow. Thrives in any ordinary garden soil. Will come up each spring and provide you with flowers throughout the season. **We offer ready to bloom, field-grown plants, 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

4104 HEUCHERA, Red Coralbell

(Not Illustrated)

A real coral-red Coralbell. For bright spots of color in the border or rock garden this splendid Coralbell serves admirably. Stems are strong and stand erect. Flower spikes are large and color is really brilliant. Excellent for shady spots. Grows 18 to 24 inches tall. **Nice 2-year plants, 45c each; 4 for \$1.35.**

4129 DWARF PINK CREEPING PHLOX

One of the most beautiful of the low creeping plants is Phlox Subulata. Use it liberally in those spots where no other plant seems to do well and you will be delighted with the results. It is hardy under most conditions and is a mass of color in early spring. Plant 1 foot apart each way to make dense ground cover in a short time. **2-yr., field-grown plants, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.**



Dwarf Pink Creeping Phlox

Famous Morden's Pink Hardy Lythrum

4107 MORDEN'S PINK LYTHRUM

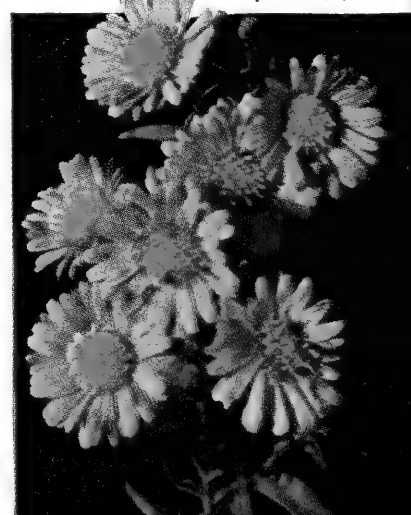
If you want a rather tall growing perennial that will provide a lot of bright pink color in your borders or beds during the hot summer months of July and August, then plant a clump of beautiful Lythrum plants. Reach a height of 3 to 4 feet. Matured plants form a clump which each year throws up a great number of willowy stems each of which terminates in a foot-long spike of bright pink blooms. Hardy, a rapid grower, and our 2-year transplanted plants will bloom this year. Don't fail to get some of these if you want good summer color in your garden. **45c each; 4 for \$1.60, postpaid.**

4181 DWARF ALPINE ASTERS

These little beauties are worthy of a place in the finest gardens. True Aster hardiness but remain dwarf and resemble a low tufted cushion. Prolific bloomers and furnish an abundance of bright color all through the late summer and fall when blooms are scarce on other plants. Don't fail to include a few of these in your order. We offer them in blue only. **45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**



Dwarf Alpine Aster



Hardy PERENNIALS

BRILLIANT, PERMANENT—

ALL ARE NICE 2-YEAR, FIELD-GROWN PLANTS—

4130 YELLOW DAISY "MARGUERITA"

Brilliantly colored hardy yellow Daisy of refined habit. Plants keep shapely and throw up numerous long stems, each topped by a large bloom of bright yellow with deeper center. Will add sparkle to the perennial planting. **2-yr. plants which will bloom this summer, 45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

4198 HARDY PENTSTEMON "ROSE ELF"

Long spikes of brilliant cherry-red, trumpet-shaped flowers. A sparkling display in your garden from June to September. Does well in ordinary soil and in semi-shade. Plant in groups of a half dozen for bright spots of color. **50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

4133 BASKET OF GOLD (Alyssum Saxatile)

Resembles a basket of gold when in bloom. Extremely hardy and able to grow and bloom under the most difficult conditions. An excellent plant for the rockery or front of perennial borders. Its bright yellow blooms and grayish green foliage make it ornamental at all seasons. One of the best and earliest yellow blooms in the spring garden, blooms profusely. **40c each; 3 for \$1.10; 6 for \$2.00, postpaid.**

4127 AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

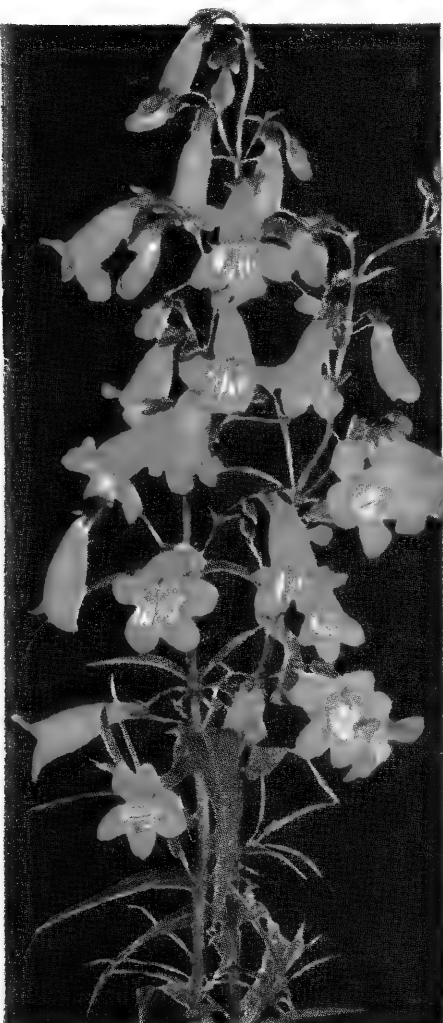
One of the favorite plants with all lovers of beautiful perennials. Columbine seems to have an appeal all its own because of the lovely pastel shadings of color and the artful delicacy of its bloom form. Mrs. Scott Elliott's hybrids are as fine as can be grown. They have marvelous color range and are noted for spurs on each bloom. **Being hybrids we cannot ship by color, but the mixture is well balanced and satisfactory. 2-year, field-grown, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

4100 OLD-FASHIONED CANTERBURY BELLS

Every Garden Needs a Few Clumps of Old-Fashioned Flowers

We know of no better ones to plant than these romantic Old-Fashioned Canterbury Bells. They produce loads of deep bell-shaped blooms over a long period of time. Grow about 3 feet tall, making them ideal to plant in front of shrubs or along a fence. We offer these in nice 2-year roots in mixed shades only. **40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid. 10 for \$2.50.**

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Pentstemon "Rose Elf"

Mrs. Scott Elliott's Long Spurred Hybrid Aquilegia



Yellow Daisy, "Marguerita"



Basket of Gold with Creeping Phlox

See Page 47 for \$2.00 Premium Offer

Old-Fashioned Canterbury Bells



NATURE'S RICHEST MUMS

FOR EXQUISITE COLOR IN
LATE SUMMER GARDENS—

Red
and
Yellow
Tall
Growing
for
Cutting



Blooms of Four Cushion Mums, Actual Size



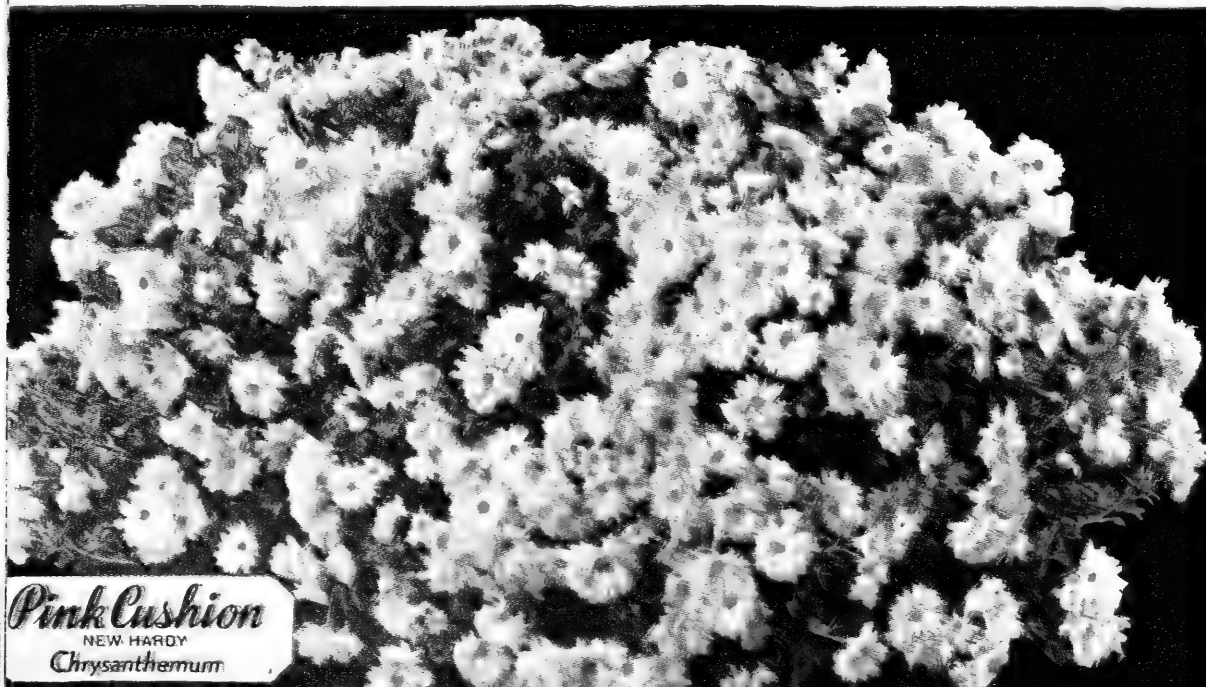
Above—Tall Growing Hardy Mums for Cutting

ABOVE: BRONZE, YELLOW, WHITE and RED CUSHION
MUMS. Actual size blooms.

BELOW: PINK CUSHION MUMS.

Plant Cushion Mums for Mounds of Glorious Beauty.

Pink Cushion, Below



Above, top: Golden
Algonquin, and Deep
Red Hearthfire.

Above, center: Cop-
per-bronze Huntsman,
glowing pink Barbara
Small, and White Ava-
lanche.

**MUMS ARE
SHIPPED
SEPARATELY
FROM OTHER
STOCK at
proper planting
time for
your location.
All Will Bloom
This Fall.**

GLOWING COLORS—THE MAGIC OF MYRIAD BLOOMS—ALL ARE YOURS WITH THESE *Hardy MUMS*

TALL GROWING HARDY MUMS FOR CUTTING —

These are the beautiful tall growing fall Mums which are unexcelled for cutting and the arrangement of colorful bouquets. Improved propagation now has these Mums beginning to bloom much earlier than formerly and has developed some wonderful bloom form and color. These are all recent introductions and are hardy and good.

We offer five varieties:

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 4184 ALGONQUIN. Yellow. | 4186 HEARTHFIRE. Deep red. |
| 4138 AVALANCHE. White. | |
| 4185 BARBARA SMALL. Pink. | 4187 HUNTSMAN. Deep bronze. |

YOUR CHOICE, 50c EACH, POSTPAID

3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.35; 12 for \$4.20
Illustrated in color at left.

4143 FALL FLOWERING
CUTTING MUM COLLECTION
5 ONE OF EACH OF THE FIVE SPLENDID CUTTING MUMS DESCRIBED ABOVE **\$1.95**

2 COLLECTIONS (10) \$3.50; 4 COLLECTIONS (20) \$6.50, All Postpaid.

CUSHION MUMS

(Illustrated in color at the left.)

These are the most sensational Mum creations of our time. Hundreds of blooms on each plant. Grow to the size of a washtub with literally bushels of blooms. Get them now; they will surprise and delight you.

YOUR CHOICE OF 5 SHOWY COLORS

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| 4144 PINK CUSHION | 4146 YELLOW CUSHION |
| 4145 RED CUSHION | 4147 BRONZE CUSHION |
| 4148 WHITE CUSHION | |

45c EACH, POSTPAID

3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.10
ALL WILL BLOOM THIS FALL

4149 HARDY CUSHION MUM COLLECTION

5 ONE OF EACH OR YOUR CHOICE OF THE FIVE COLORS OF CUSHION MUMS **\$1.90**

2 COLLECTIONS (10) \$3.40; 4 COLLECTIONS (20) \$6.25; All Postpaid.

PERENNIALS

Nice 2-Yr. Plants

4189 COREOPSIS "DOUBLE SUNSET"

Valuable for its profusion of showy yellow blooms all summer long. Long stems and fine for cutting and mixed bouquets. Hardy and very easy to grow. Reaches approximately 2 feet in height. Heavy 2-yr. plants, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Orange Butterfly Plant

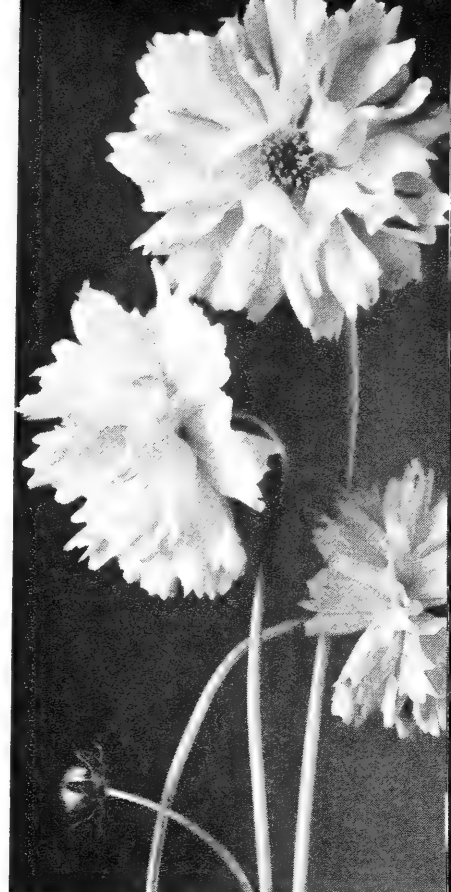
4191 ORANGE BUTTERFLY PLANT ASCLEPIAS TUBEROSA

The Only Hardy Plant Having
True Orange Flowers

This attractive plant produces an immense number of flowers during the months of July and August. Brilliant orange. It can be successfully grown in any type of soil in any locality. Reaches height of 2 to 2½ feet. Withstands the most severe winters and the hottest summers, producing flowers year after year with no attention. Grows native in some sections of the country. **Blooming size roots, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

4102 HYBRID DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS

New hybrid strain of an old favorite garden flower. New brilliant colorings, new larger blooms and new hardiness make this an outstanding strain. Desirable for background plantings as they grow to 5 feet tall. Being hybrids they come only in mixed colors, and we cannot ship by a specified color. 2-year roots will bloom this summer. **40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**



Double Coreopsis, "Double Sunset"

Sturdy, 2-Yr., Field-Grown Plants
WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER

Double Hollyhocks





Giant Golden Heliopsis Incomparabilis

PERENNIALS

LET THESE HARDY PLANTS
PUT NEW LIFE INTO YOUR BEDS

4164 GIANT FLOWERING GOLDEN HELIOPSIS

HELIOPSIS INCOMPARABILIS

HARDY—HUGE—HEAVY BLOOMING

For rich golden color in the perennial bed we know of no other flower which will be more satisfactory. Perfectly hardy, it comes up year after year. This variety is extremely large flowering and the deep golden blooms are borne in abundance on 18- to 24-inch stems. Excellent for cutting, keeping for a long time in floral arrangements. Plant in groups of three or more for bright masses of color in beds. **Nice 2-yr. plants which will bloom this year, 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.**

4159 HARDY PULMONARIA

ONE OF THE FINEST PLANTS WE KNOW OF
FOR SHADED LOCATIONS. Use Liberally

For Beds, Edging or Ground Cover

For those who want a plant which will do well in areas under trees or for beds in shaded areas, we believe that Pulmonaria will answer your needs. Grows only 8 to 12 inches high and foliage is very thick and ornamental. Leaves are bright green, oddly blotched with white. In the spring the whole bed is aglow with hundreds of small, bell-shaped, reddish lavender blooms. Excellent as ground cover, also as a dwarf edging plant. Stays green until frozen for winter, and comes out first thing in the spring, so there is only a short period when it is not effective.

2-Yr. Plants, 40c Each; 4 for \$1.35; 12 for \$3.50, Postpaid

4165 "HEAVENLY BLUE" Linum Perenne

Every morning this fine plant presents you with an abundance of new blooms for cutting. Grows about 2 feet high and has feathery blue-green foliage. Truly sensational when used in bouquets with Painted Daisies, Shasta Daisies, Asters, Gypsophila, etc. May also be used as contrast blossoms with Lilies or Roses. Every garden should have a few of these plants. **40c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

4152 "BRISTOL FAIRY" DOUBLE Baby's Breath—

CHOICE GRAFTED PLANTS, SELECTED FIRST QUALITY

The sensational double-flowering Baby's Breath. Large florets in heavy panicles make it ideal for cutting. Longer season of bloom, and if blossoms are cut as they begin to wither, it is possible to keep them flowering nearly all summer. Remember this is the true, grafted, double-flowering variety. **65c each; 3 for \$1.65, postpaid.**

4151 LOVELY WHITE BABY'S BREATH

GYPSOPHILA
PANICULATA

The beloved Baby's Breath which is so desirable for use in mixed bouquets during the summer and which may be cut and dried for use in winter floral arrangements. Grows about 2 feet high and makes a rounded mass of misty white when in bloom. We offer nice 2-year roots which will bloom this year at **45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

Baby's Breath—Unexcelled Filler for Bouquets



Hardy Pulmonaria—Note Oddly Marked Foliage

ORDER BY
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Blue Flowering Linum Perenne—"Heavenly Blue"



PERENNIALS for Your Home

THESE ARE NICE, 2-YEAR FIELD-GROWN PLANTS
WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER

Colorful Blooms, Long Life, Increased Values

4160 GAILLARDIA "GOBLIN"

One of the showiest of the Gaillardias. Giant sized blooms of rich coppery yellow with deep glowing wine-red center disc. For brilliant color in the perennial bed they are unequalled. Excellent for cutting and all bouquet use. Grows 3 feet tall. **40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**



Brilliantly Colored Gaillardia, "Goblin"

4167 BLUE FLOWERING DAYLILY

Broad, pale green, fluted leaves, variegated by white band and varied streakings. Valued for its foliage as well as for the blue flowers hanging in loose panicles from heavy short stems. Grows 4 feet tall. **45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

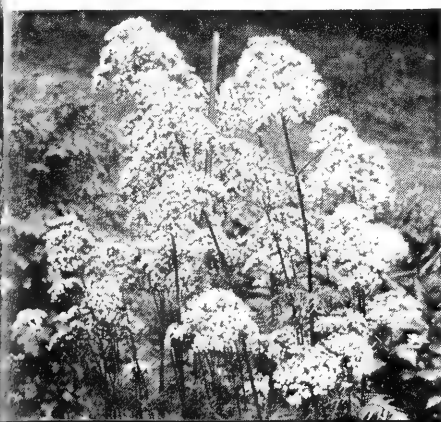


Blue Flowering Daylily

4155 VALERIANA GARDEN HELIOTROPE

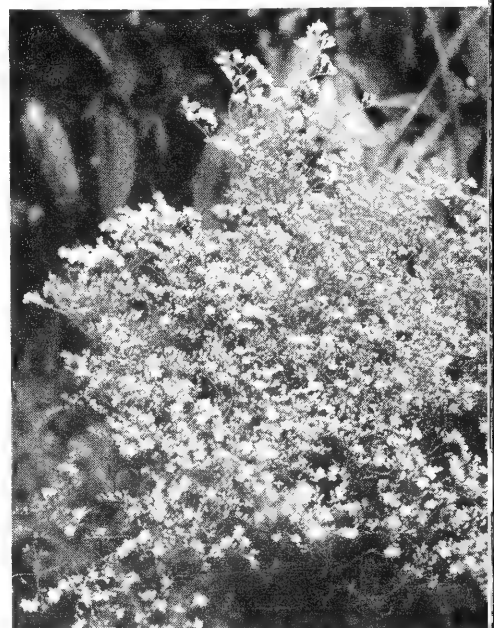
Beautiful heads of bright rose-colored blooms on 12-inch stems are freely produced from June to October. One of the best plants for showy color effect over a very long season. Mature plants reach 2 feet in height but may be kept trimmed back to hold to desired size. **2-yr., plants, 45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

Valeriana—Garden Heliotrope



4154 LAVENDER STATICE

A real cloud of misty lavender loveliness and ideal in any location you care to plant it. Naturally beautiful in a bed, it becomes doubly so when used in mixed bouquets. Blooms over a long period of time and keeps well after cutting. **45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**



Statice—For Those "Misty" Bouquets

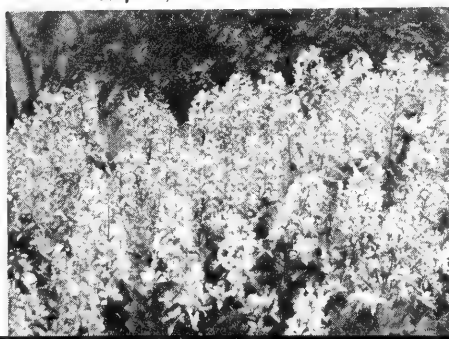
4168 BLUE PLATYCODON BALLOON FLOWER

Showy deep blue flowers from June to October. Buds resemble a small blown-up balloon, open into beautiful bell-shaped blooms of finest quality and texture. Grows to 2 feet and is fine for cutting. **40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

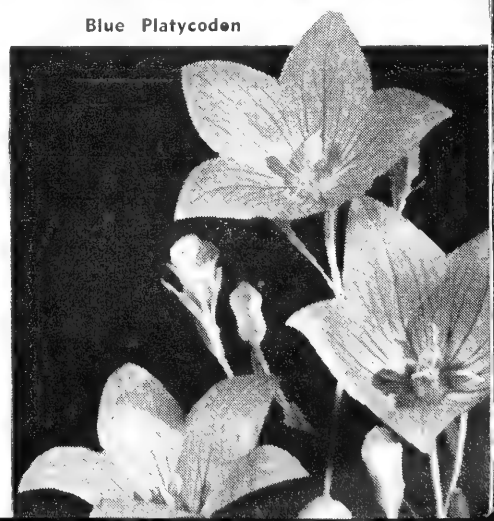
4162 NEPETA Famous "Six Hills Giant"

One of the best plants we know of for hot, dry and exposed perennial plantings. Gray-green foliage makes splendid contrast to surroundings. Compact and upright habit makes it desirable for massed plantings. Ten to twenty flower stems on each plant reach a height of about two feet. Rich lavender-blue blooms are borne in great profusion during blooming season, with occasional blooms throughout the summer. Fine for border or for massing. **Heavy, 2-yr. plants, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

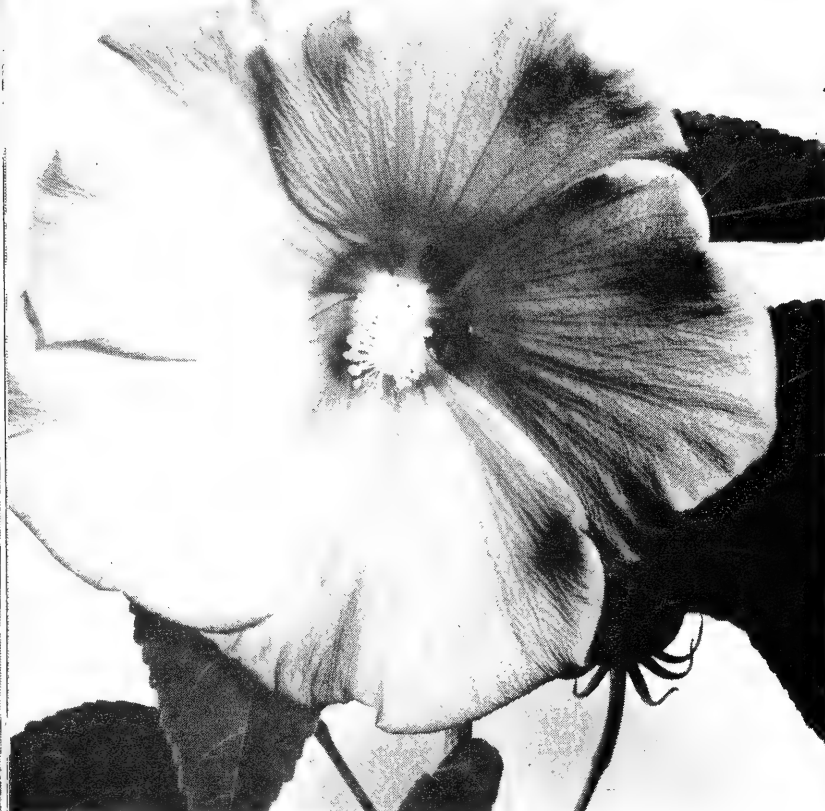
Nepeta, "Six Hills Giant"



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Blue Platycodon



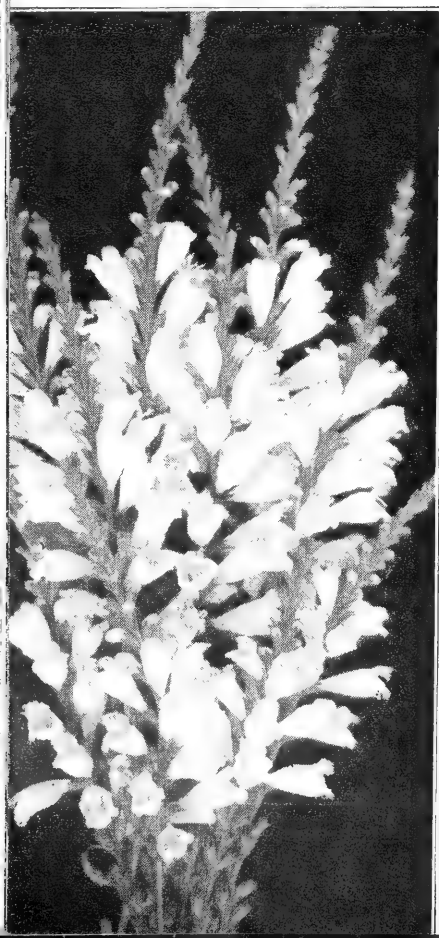
Huge, Bright Red, Bell-Shaped Bloom of Hibiscus

4132 STOKESIA "BLUE MOON"

A charming low growing perennial very popular because of its ornamental foliage and the clear, soft blue color of its blooms. Stems rise about 15 to 18 inches above the clump of deep green foliage and each stem bears a large flower with finely shredded petals. Hardy and will continue to bloom year after year. **2-yr. plants, 45c each; 4 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

● **WRITE FOR SPECIAL PRICES IF INTERESTED IN LARGE QUANTITIES OF ANY VARIETY** ●

Physostegia or False Dragonhead



4220 HARDY FALSE DRAGONHEAD PHYSOSTEGIA

Sturdy, attractive, rather tall growing perennial much used for background and bed planting where long spikes of color are needed. Stems are strong and erect to support the foot-long spikes of rosy red flowers. **Nice 2-yr. plants, 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.**

4109 "BLUE BIRD" VERONICA

This beautiful plant has long, slender, bronze-green leaves and carries a great quantity of indigo-blue flowers formed as curved spikes. Be sure to include this in your garden. Blooms continually from July to October. A real value at this low price. Grows about 2 feet tall. **Nice field-grown plants, will bloom this year, 45c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.**

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PERENNIALS

NICE, STURDY, 2-YEAR PLANTS—READY TO GROW INTO A LIFETIME OF COLORFUL BEAUTY AND SATISFACTION FOR YOU

4150 HIBISCUS GIANT FLOWERING "MALLOW MARVEL"

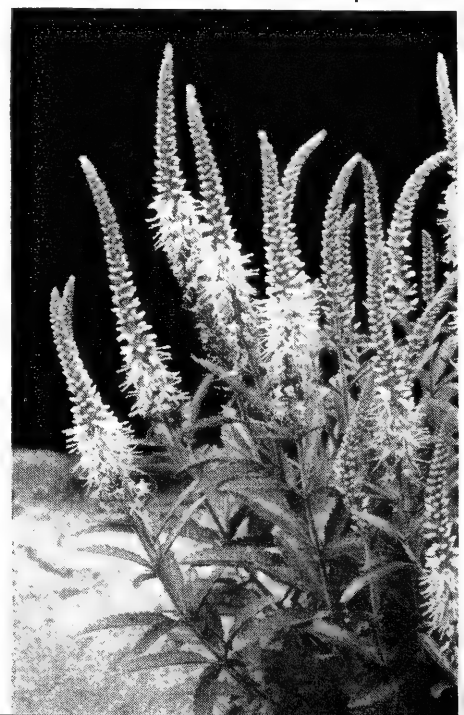
Truly the "show-boy" of the perennials. Shoots start each year from the ground and grow to a height of 3 to 4 feet. They then bear great numbers of giant bell-shaped blooms measuring six inches or more across. Rich in color and hardy as an Oak. Wonderful for background subjects or for an informal high summer hedge. Mixed colors only, mostly red, some pink and white. **Nice 2-yr roots, only 50c each; 4 for \$1.50, postpaid.**

Dear Sirs: Indianapolis, Ind., April 26, 1955
Please accept my thanks for the order so well packed and wrapped. Everything was in good condition and because they were all hardy, could be planted immediately. They are already growing.
Thanks,
P.L.C.



Brilliant "Blue Moon" Stokesia

"Blue Bird" Veronica Spikes



THREE SUPERB PERENNIAL EDGING OR DWARF HEDGE PLANTS. All Are Hardy

4169 TEUCRIUM - Beautiful Perennial Hedge or Edging

Ideal for all edging work, or for low border hedges. Foliage is evergreen for ten months of the year and plants stay dwarf. Ten to fifteen inches is as high as they grow and an occasional very light trimming will hold their beautiful compact shape.

Hardy in all sections of the country and thrives in most any location. Ideal in front of low walls.

Should be planted 6 inches apart for a dense hedge. Note how effective Teucrium is when edging a perennial bed as illustrated.

Four to five plants in a group will make an ideal corner clump for a perennial bed or the corners of a Rose garden.

Don't fail to get some of these plants for that dwarf hedge you've been wanting.

**35c each; 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.50;
100 for \$17.50, postpaid.**

4170 IBERIS—DWARF HARDY CANDYTUFT

**EXCELLENT FOR FLOWERING EDGINGS—
ALMOST EVERGREEN**

One of the loveliest of the semi-dwarf plants. Foliage is almost evergreen, remaining green until almost New Years. Each spring the plant is covered so densely with white, snow-flake-shaped blooms that it really resembles a small mound of snow. Very hardy, easily grown and requires only average garden soil. Reaches only about 12 inches in height, which makes it invaluable for the foreground in perennial beds or for low borders.

**Nice 2-Yr. Plants, 40c Each; 4 for \$1.50;
10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50, postpaid.**

4171 SEDUM "SPECTABILIS" OR "LIVE FOREVER"

One of the hardiest of all plants, it seems to thrive under the most difficult conditions. Withstands heat, drought, cold, and shallow, poor soil. Foliage is ornamental all summer long and the large, flat heads of clear pink blooms are produced on sturdy stems and in abundance. Plant ordinarily reaches 12 to 18 inches in height with bloom stems rising 10 to 12 inches above foliage during blooming season.

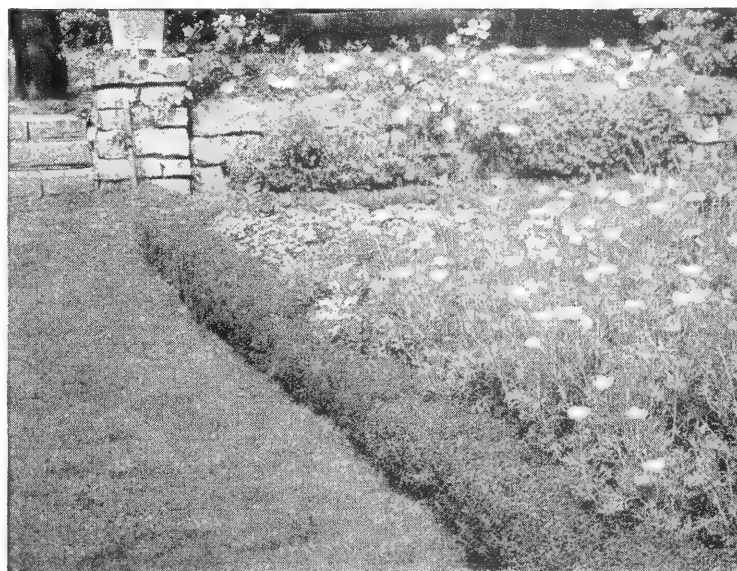
One of the greatest features of "Sedum Spectabilis" is its versatility. Use it as a flowering perennial in the foreground of the bed or border; plant it among low growing shrubs for increased foliage and color effects; set one plant in each of two pots or pails and use them on each side of the steps; place plants 12 or 16 inches apart in porch or window boxes; best of all is its extreme hardiness and the ease with which it can be grown.

**2-Yr., Well-Rooted Plants, 45c Each;
4 for \$1.50; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50,
Postpaid**

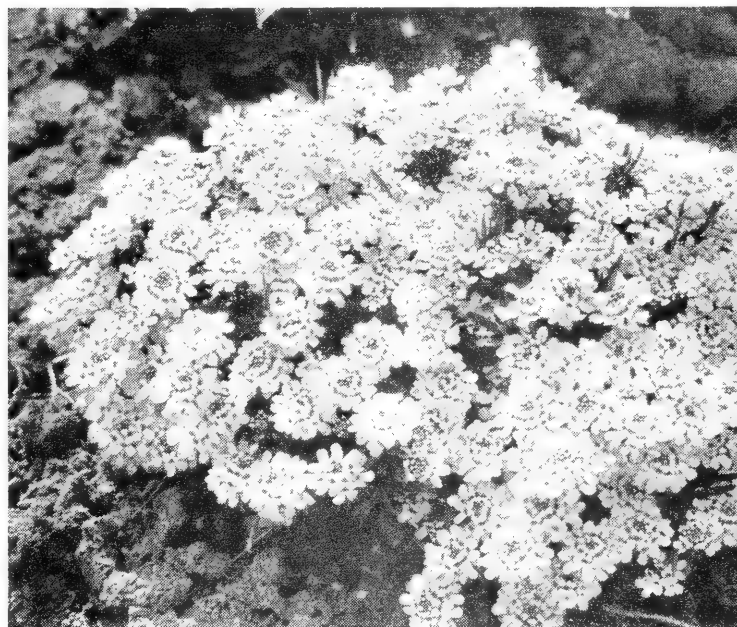
4182 SAPONARIA

**VINE-LIKE PERENNIAL FOR TRAILING OVER WALLS
AND TERRACES—FINE FOR ROCKERY—Not Pictured**

We like this the best of all the trailing plants. One main root but it throws out numerous tendril-like branches close to the ground. Foliage is a bright green all season and in spring the plant bears small bright pink blooms in abundance. An excellent plant to plant along the top of a wall where the trailing branches can hang over. **2-yr. field-grown plants, 40c each; 4 for \$1.25; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.**



Teucrium—Effective Edging or Dwarf Hedge



Dwarf Iberis or Hardy Candytuft—Practically Evergreen

Sedum Spectabilis or Live Forever—Versatile and Ruggedly Hardy



EVERGREENS

FOR PERMANENT INCREASE
IN PROPERTY VALUES

5200 GOLDEN ORIENTAL ARBOR-VITAE

(*Biota Aurea Nana*)

A very slow growing, compact variety of the dwarf type. The flattened leaves face outward edgewise, presenting a beautiful surface of vertical fluted lines. Color is a fresh yellow-green, very striking in appearance and valuable in foreground planting. 12 to 15 in., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.

5201 JUNIPER STRICTA

(*Spiny Greek Juniper*)

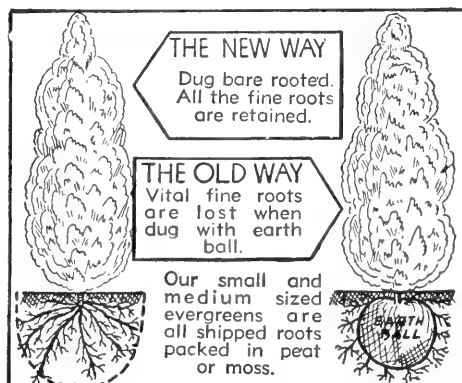
For a semi-dwarf pyramidal Evergreen, Juniper Stricta cannot be surpassed. Foliage is a silvery blue, very compact and cedar-like. Reaches about 4 feet at maturity in our section of the country. Will get slightly larger in the South and not quite as large in northern sections. Excellent to use where height is a factor in planning a planting. We offer nice plants in 12- to 15-inch size at \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.

Green Pfitzer Juniper

See page 47
for \$2.00
Premium
Offer.

Juniper Stricta—Spiny Greek

Golden Oriental Arbor-Vitae



NOTE: The Silver
Blue Pfitzer described
below is similar to
Green Pfitzer in habit
of growth and in gen-
eral appearance but fo-
liage is a bright silvery
blue in color.

5202 PFITZER JUNIPER

The well known, gracefully spreading, low-growing Evergreen with sweeping fronds of fresh green foliage. Very hardy and does well in sun or shade. Quite rapid in growth when once established. The spreading branches should be kept sheared to form a dense mass of foliage. Allow tips to grow to size desired and then keep in bounds by trimming. (See next page for other evergreens which do well in shade.) 12- to 15-inch spread, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25, prepaid.

5213 SAVIN JUNIPER

Similar to Pfitzer but darker green. 12- to 15-inch spread, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25, prepaid.

5205 SILVER-BLUE PFITZER JUNIPER

(U. S. Plant Pat. No. 422)

Imagine all the famous good qualities of the Pfitzer Juniper now combined with a beautiful new silvery blue color. Color is as intense and even as the Koster Blue Spruce. Entirely hardy in any section of this country. Grows a little more compact and has slightly finer foliage than the well known green Pfitzer. Otherwise habits are the same. 12- to 15-inch spread, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.75, prepaid.

5203 FASTIGIATA JUNIPER

The New Columnar Juniper

Similar to Irish Juniper in foliage and color but grows tightly compact and columnar. The last word in Evergreens for doorways and formal effect. We have a nice stock of these in 18-inch size, the nicest size for transplanting, and offer them at only \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.

5204 NORWAY SPRUCE

A lofty, elegant tree of perfect pyramidal habit, rich in silvery green color. As the tree ages its branches become gracefully pendulous, making it exceedingly beautiful and picturesque. A splendid evergreen for specimen planting and also for windbreaks or backgrounds. 15 to 18 in., \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00, prepaid.

Juniper
Fastigiata

Norway Spruce

EVERGREENS

WHICH WILL ADD BEAUTY AND DISTINCTION
TO YOUR HOME AND SURROUNDINGS



Colorado Blue Spruce

5208 COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

One of the hardiest and most beautiful of all evergreens for specimen planting. Should have plenty of room to develop its branches and stately form. Since Colorado Blue Spruce are grown from seed there is some variation in the blue shading, especially when the trees are young. Should be planted where they have plenty of sunshine to get best color effect. Very young trees are not particularly shapely but the typical symmetrical form comes as the plants grow to 3 feet or more in height. Due to scarcity of Blue Spruce, we can offer only **4-year, heavy transplants, 8-12 in., stocky plants at \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75, postpaid.** Buy several of them at this low price.

5209 JUNIPER HORIZONTALIS

(Andorra Juniper)

Very popular with those who want a prostrate creeping type for use along steps, for rockery planting or for use as a bank cover. Rarely exceed 10 to 12 inches in height. Richly colored foliage which blends well with any other plants used. We offer plants of **12- to 15-inch spread at \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00; 6 for \$8.25, prepaid.**



Juniper Horizontalis

5206 Pyramidal ARBOR-VITAE

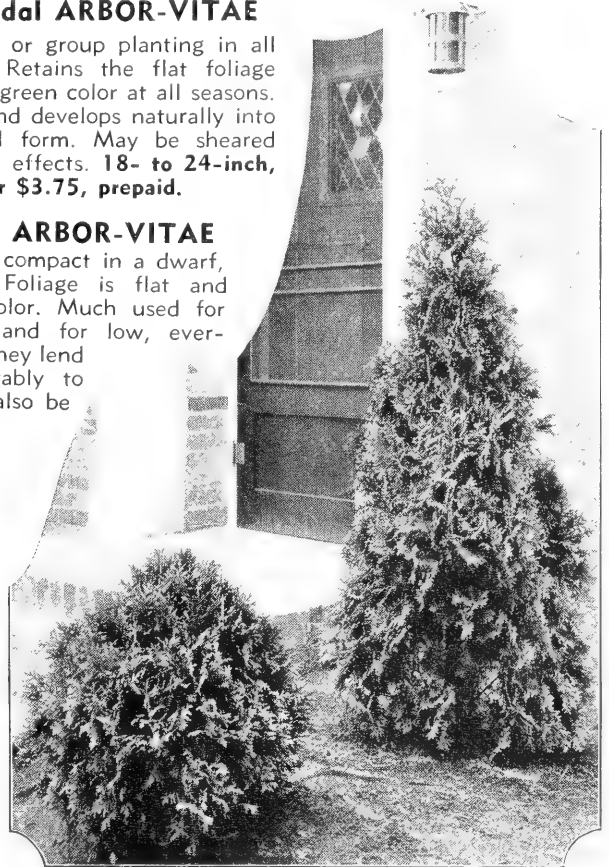
For foundation or group planting in all landscape work. Retains the flat foliage and lovely bright green color at all seasons. Grows compact and develops naturally into perfect pyramidal form. May be sheared for strictly formal effects. **18- to 24-inch, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.**

5207 GLOBE ARBOR-VITAE

Grows densely compact in a dwarf, globular shape. Foliage is flat and deep green in color. Much used for formal planting and for low, evergreen hedges as they lend themselves admirably to shearing. May also be grown in tubs for use at formal entrances. **10- 12-in., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.**

THE YEWS

Without doubt the Yews are among the finest and most luxuriant evergreens grown. They are extremely hardy, easy to grow, do well in shade, and harmonize with any other plants.



Globe Arbor-Vitae

Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae

5210 SPREADING YEW

The spreading variety throws out sweeping branches similar to Pfitzer Juniper. May be kept trimmed back to desired size or to fit allotted space. Foliage is a shade of deep green, soft to the touch and always fresh looking. May be kept sheared for a low hedge, allowed to grow its graceful wand-like branches for informal corner plantings or trimmed into compact shape for formal effects. After the plant is several years old, numerous red berries are borne close to the branches, remaining into winter. **Well rooted, 12- to 15-in., \$2.75 each; 2 for \$5.00, prepaid.**

5211 UPRIGHT YEW

General foliage characteristics same as the spreading variety described above, but grows in columnar, erect form. By keeping the plant lightly sheared as it grows, the foliage will be extremely dense and compact from the ground up. Valuable for corner plantings and accent pieces. Does well in shade and seems to be very little affected by disease or pests. **15- to 18-inch, \$2.75 each; 2 for \$5.00, prepaid.**

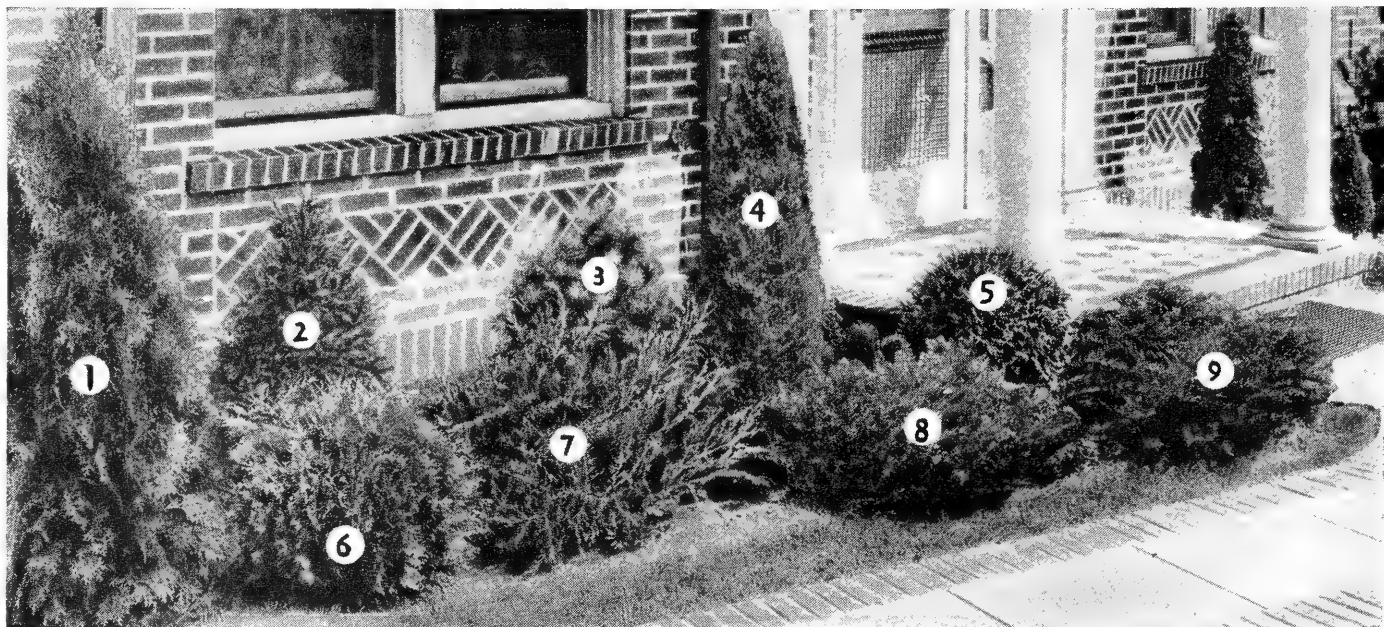
5212 DOUGLAS FIR

A lofty, elegant tree of perfect pyramidal habit of growth. One of the really fine evergreens for specimen planting. Has a beautiful bluish color similar to the Blue Spruce. However, the foliage is of a softer nature and growth is more rapid. Very hardy to withstand severe weather conditions and develops into a sturdy, valuable tree. **Well rooted, 15- to 18-in. trees, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, prepaid.**

NOTE: All evergreens are shipped prepaid.

Spreading
and
Upright
Yews

Two COMPLETE COLLECTIONS of EVERGREENS For Planting Average Homes. Distinctive, Luxuriant, Colorful Varieties. Increase Property Value Many Times Their Original Cost.



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| ① Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae | ③ Juniper Stricta | ⑤ Globe Yew | ⑦ Pfitzer Juniper | ⑨ Spreading Yew |
| ② Juniper Stricta | ④ Fastigiata Juniper | ⑥ Globe Arbor-Vitae | ⑧ Spreading Yew | |

5220 "HOME LANDSCAPE" EVERGREEN COLLECTION

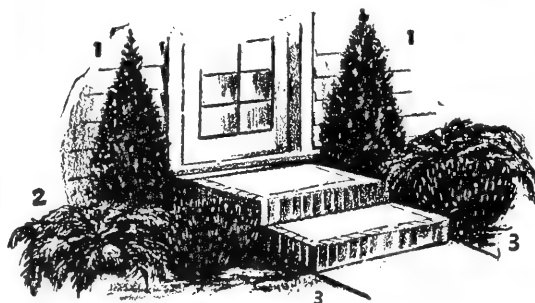
Now you can landscape your own home at minimum cost with these lovely Evergreens. All are hardy and will do well in most any location. One group of 9 plants will completely plant one side of the front of the average home if space is between 15 and 25 feet. Two groups make a complete planting for the entire front. The large picture above gives planting arrangement.

SIZES TO BE SENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Upright types will be 24 inches tall; semi-upright, 12 to 15 inches tall, and spreading types will have 12- to 15-inch spread. One group will consist of the following: 1 Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae, 1 Fastigiata Juniper, 2 Juniper Stricta, 1 Globe Arbor-Vitae, 1 Hatfield Yew, 2 Spreading Yew, 1 Pfitzer Juniper—9 plants in all.

9 Fine Evergreens as Described and Listed Above. A regular \$21.00 value (shipped prepaid) for only **\$18²⁵**

5230 SPECIAL DOORSTEP PLANTINGS OF SIX FINE EVERGREENS PLANT AS SHOWN IN SKETCH AT LEFT



KEY TO ABOVE DRAWING

1. Two Fastigiata Junipers, 18- to 24-inch.
2. Two Savin Junipers, 12- to 15-inch.
3. Two Globe Arbor-Vitae, 10- to 12-inch.

Two Fastigiata Junipers, 18- to 24-inch. Two Savin Junipers, 12- to 15-inch. Two Globe Arbor-Vitae, 10- to 12-inch.

FINE HARDY EVERGREENS

We offer this beautiful planting for your doorway at a truly bargain price. Best grade, heavy rooted plants as described in varieties above. Will give some effect at once and grow in beauty each passing year.

A REGULAR \$11.75 VALUE IN FINE EVERGREENS COMPLETE PLANTING FOR YOUR DOORSTEP

6 AS LISTED ABOVE, PREPAID **\$10.75**

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STURDY, WELL ROOTED TRANSPLANTED EVERGREENS

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• WE SINCERELY BELIEVE THAT THESE STURDY YOUNG PLANTS ARE ONE OF AMERICA'S BEST BUYS TODAY •

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SPECIAL OFFER OF BABY EVERGREENS . . .

Here are five of the finest and best varieties for use in home landscaping. Grow these a couple of years in your gardens and then use in permanent plantings.

This offer contains enough plants to properly plant the average home.

- 5 Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae
- 5 Spreading Yews
- 5 Biota Aurea Nana
- 5 Pfitzer Juniper
- 5 Irish Juniper

25

Fine transplanted plants as described above, for (A \$9.50 Value)

\$8.00 Postpaid

Ready to grow in your garden for 2 or 3 years before transplanting to permanent landscape locations; also make the growing of Evergreens a profitable hobby. In 3 to 4 years the transplanted plants we offer will be worth approximately ten times the amount you pay for them. Good interest rate?

For descriptions of most of these Baby Evergreens, see the **THREE** preceding pages.

WE OFFER THE SPLENDID VARIETIES LISTED BELOW

	Variety	Size Inches	Per 3	Per 10	Per 100
5100	Pfitzer Juniper	6-8	\$1.25	\$3.80	\$32.00
5101	Colo. Blue Spruce . . .	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5102	Spiny Greek Juniper . .	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5103	Savin Juniper	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5104	Mugho Pine	4-6	1.25	3.50	32.00
Japanese Yews—					
5105	Cuspidata (Spreading)	6-8	1.50	3.80	35.00
5106	Capitata (Upright) . .	6-8	1.50	3.80	35.00
5107	Hicksi (Columnar) . .	6-8	1.50	3.80	35.00
5108	Austrian Pine	8-10	1.25	3.00	25.00
5109	Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5110	Globe Arbor-Vitae . . .	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5111	Biota Aurea Nana . . .	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5112	Hemlock	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5113	Irish Juniper	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5114	Retinospora Plumosa (Plumed Cypress) . .	6-8	1.35	3.80	32.00
5115	Juniperus Horizontalis	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5510	Dwarf Hardy Boxwood	6-8	1.25	3.80	32.00
5116	Silver-Blue Pfitzer.				
	Plant Patent No. 422	6-8	1.75	4.75	45.00

All Prepaid



Close Up View of Some of These Superb Baby Evergreens in Our Growing Field

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The real "elite" among the evergreens. These are all grafted plants and run 12 inches in height; just right for transplanting this spring. Will rapidly grow in value. We offer four of the finest Junipers grown today. All are upright types.

Variety	3	10	100
5121 Burkii (silver) . .	\$2.25	\$7.00	\$65.00
5122 Glauca (blue) . .	2.25	7.00	65.00
5123 Cannarti (dark green)	2.25	7.00	65.00
5124 Hill's Dundee (reddish green) . . .	2.25	7.00	65.00

BURKII. Columnar growing, rich silver color. Densely furnished with branches. May be kept sheared for formal corner plantings.

GLAUCA. Tall, erect growing. Bright light blue foliage. Shearing helps form. Wonderful for color contrast in an evergreen planting.

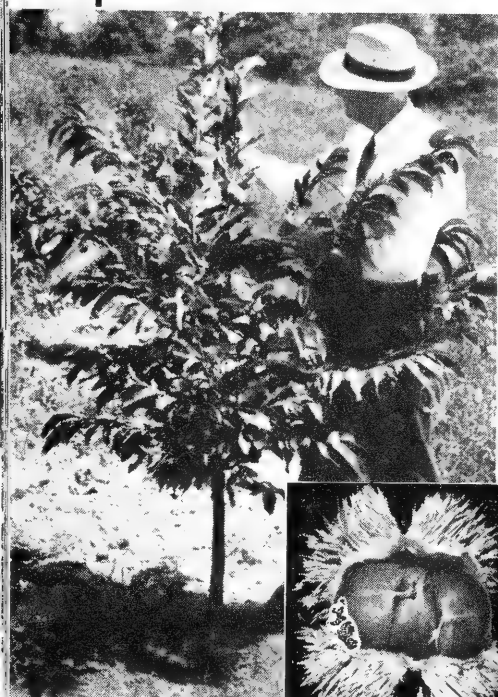
CANNARTI. Popular and reliable tall growing variety with beautiful deep green color. Excellent for corners, borders or entrance planting. May be sheared to desired size.

HILL'S DUNDEE. Similar to above varieties in growth habit but has an attractive reddish green color. A valuable plant in foundation plantings or for general landscaping.

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THREE MOST SATISFACTORY NUT TREES

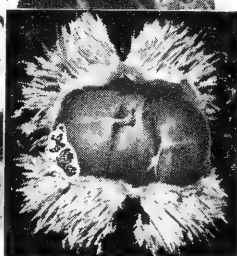
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THE DELICIOUS NUT CROP!**



3407 CHINESE CHESTNUT

**BLIGHT RESISTANT,
MAMMOTH SIZE,
PRODUCING LARGE
CROPS OF SWEET
NUTS. A FINE
ORNAMENTAL
TREE AS WELL**

Wonderful new strain, does well in all sections of the country. Grows quickly, bears young, long lived. Trees grow about the size of an Apple tree. Plant 2 trees to insure pollination. **Price: 2- to 3-ft. trees, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.50.**

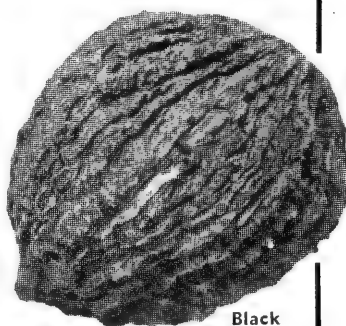


3442 THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

The famous GRAFTED variety which thrives in every State in our country. Immense size of nuts, tremendous crops when tree reaches maturity, and ease with which it grows makes this tree one which should be planted at every home. Tree grows fast and will do well in most any soil. Nuts crack easily and meats come out in halves with no trouble. A bushel of them will crack out about 12 pounds of delicious nut meats. Will often produce nuts second year after planting. **We offer nice 18- to 24-in. trees at \$1.65 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

3443 HARDY PECAN

Pecans can be successfully grown in northern climates with this hardy variety. Trees grow fast and bear when young. Nuts are large and thin shelled. Meats are crisp and delicious. Trees are long-lived and will bear large crops year after year. Ideal for home use or for commercial growing. Nuts bring top prices on the market. **Nice 2- to 3-ft. trees, \$1.65 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**



Black
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In Memoriam

For twenty-five years this space in "Glories of the Garden" has been devoted to bringing an annual message from our founder, Vernon H. Krider, to his thousands of friends and customers.

This year it becomes the sad task of those of us who remain to write a few words of personal thanks and appreciation to all of you tens of thousands of wonderful folks who have meant so much to him and to us.

On the afternoon of February 3rd, 1955, after spending most of the forenoon at his desk answering letters and attending to other business matters, he complained of not feeling well. His long-time family physician (the President of our corporation), was soon with him and realized the seriousness of the attack.

As evening came and the shadows of twilight gathered, his Unseen Guide gently took him by the hand and said: "Come, I have found a pleasant place to cross."

And so he left us—rich in years, experience, friends, and the fulfillment of ambition in home, business and civic life.

That he had builded well is attested by the fact that the business he established and loved so much will continue in the same manner as it would be conducted were he still at his desk. Every employee, every member of his family and every associate here at the nursery is familiar with the high principles which he instilled into every avenue of his home and business life.

We who are left pledge the continuance of those same policies which have governed all of our dealings with our customers for the past sixty years, carrying in our hearts the words we heard him utter so many times—"Boys, always remember, the customer must be satisfied if at all possible."

In that spirit we face forward to the future

The Officers and Directors
of
The KRIDER NURSERIES, Inc.



VERNON H. KRIDER
1876—1955

"He Went Down
As When a Mighty
Cedar Falls
And Leaves a Lonesome
Place Against the Sky."

*"As one by one the autumn leaves
fade in the forest deep,
So, one by one, to each of us must
come the touch of sleep;
As, one by one, the roses burst
into the morning light,
So, one by one, our souls shall
wake again beyond the night."*

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6100

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5 feet. Green leaves, yellow flowers.

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6203 PRESIDENT

(The great bedding Canna.) 3 feet. Green leaves, scarlet flowers.

4 **6210** **75¢**
One of each of the four as described above
or your choice of varieties and quantities.

8 **6220** **\$1.25**
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or your choice of varieties and quantities.
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Prices on Cannas: Your Choice
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FOUR CHOICE VARIETIES OF • PEONIES •

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Sparkling rose-pink with golden center.

6231 FELIX CROUSSE. Large flowering, bomb-type.
Rich rosy red.

6232 FESTIVA MAXIMA. Always a favorite and dependable white. Edges of petals flecked with red.
Early bloomer.

6233 KARL ROSENFELD. Large flowering brilliant red, semi-Rose type.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE PEONIES—75c EACH
SEE SPECIAL PEONY COLLECTION OFFER BELOW

Special Peony Collection Offer 6240

4 **\$2.50**
One of each, or your choice of
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6503 "SPECIOSUM RUBRUM"

Always scarce and in demand. Regarded by many as the finest and most elegant of all hardy garden Lilies. Immense blooms of heavy, waxy texture are borne abundantly. Sparkling rosy red with dark red flecks, each petal framed with a silver edging. Long, sturdy stems. First size bulbs for bloom this summer, 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.50, postpaid.

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HARDY outdoor garden Lily. Will bloom prolifically year after year. Pure waxy white blooms, large in size and very fragrant. Strong stems 36 inches long each bear several blooms. Plant in well drained soil, 7 inches deep. Nice first size bulbs, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

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6501 Regal Lily—America's Favorite



FOR BEAUTY AND
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GORGEOUS
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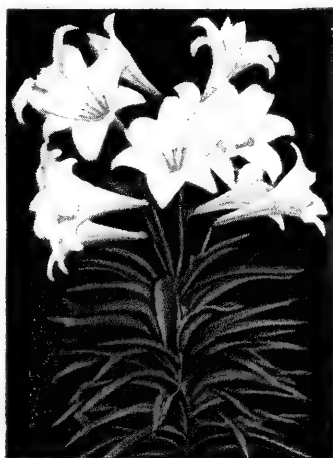
LILIES

6507 "HENRYI"

Always colorful and showy are the large, fragrant blooms of "Henryi." Rich, golden brown color with deeper flecks splashed over the shapely petals. Very hardy and easy to grow in ordinary garden soil. Beautiful in mixed bouquets with contrasting colors. **Finest quality bulbs, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$5.00, postpaid.**



6507 Lilium Henryi



Regal Album—New White Regal (shown Greatly Reduced. Actual Blooms are Size of Regular Regals)

6500 SPECIAL HARDY LILY COLLECTION

5 One of each of the five magnificent Lily varieties shown on this page. Plant in a group and you will have a beauty spot as well as **\$2.00** blooms for cutting All Postpaid
2 COLLECTIONS (10), \$3.75

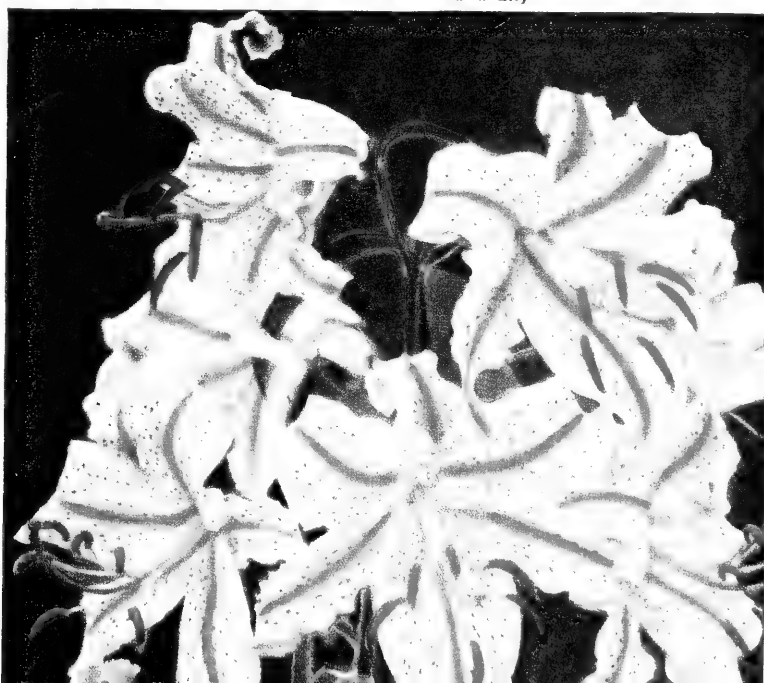
6508 "AURATUM"

THE FAMOUS "GOLD BAND" LILY

One of the most spectacular and beautiful of all Lilies. Immense, waxy white blooms with maroon flecks and down the center of each petal runs a brilliant golden band of color. Hardy and very easily grown. Fragrant and excellent for use in bouquets. **Highest quality bulbs, 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.50, postpaid.**

6508 Lilium Auratum—Gold Band Lily

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One of the World's Most Beautiful Blooms is that of the **TUBEROUS BEGONIAS**

THESE ARE FINEST QUALITY IMPORTED BULBS • • • •

The True Camellia Double Flowering Type

No illustration can do justice to the sublime beauty of these thrilling Tuberous Begonias. Bulbs may be planted in pots for bloom outdoors in summer and indoors in winter or may be planted directly in beds for massed outdoor plantings. Excellent for shady spots. Colors are brilliant, petals are satiny and perfect blooms are produced over a long season. You'll love these Begonias more than anything you've planted in years. Will bloom all summer, even in shade.

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BEGONIA PRICES—Your Choice

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4 for	\$0.75
8 for	1.35
12 for	2.00
24 for	3.50
48 for	6.00

All Postpaid

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**Camellia Type
Tuberous Begonias
(Everblooming)**

TEN EXCEPTIONALLY COLORFUL VARIETIES OF
GLADIOLUS BULBS
 FINEST QUALITY BULBS FOR LIBERAL BLOOM ALL
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AMERICA'S FINEST AND MOST POPULAR CUT FLOWER

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 WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER WITH GORGEOUS LONG SPIKES.

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6313 ETHEL CAVE COLE. Extra large fine pink. Will win at exhibits. Up to 12 florets open at one time on long graceful spikes.

6326 OCTOBER SUNSHINE. A beautiful orange blending to a golden yellow throat. It will hold 6 to 8 florets open on an 18-bud spike and has excellent growing habits.

6325 HARRY HOPKINS. Richest wine-red color that is very beautiful. Remarkable glowing purple cast, recommended highly.

6324 SPIC AND SPAN. Ruffled deep pink, very popular for garden and show purposes. Immense large flower heads, disease resistant and strong grower.

6317 RED CHARM. Spectacular cutting variety. The buds are deepest blackish red and open into large florets of deep, bright red. Long spikes which open 8 to 10 at one time.

6323 SNOW PRINCESS. Very fine, large pure white flowers. Grows tall and keeps well after cutting. An improvement over most white varieties.

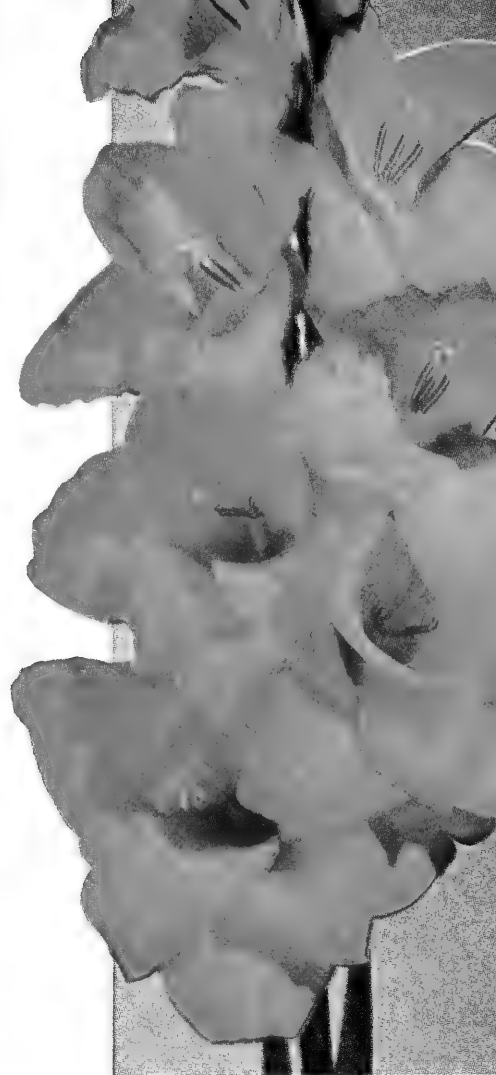
6318 SPOTLIGHT. Popular everywhere. Excellent grower and sure producer. Bright clear yellow with small scarlet blotch in throat.

6321 WHITE GOLD. A sensational show Gladiolus. Large, cream, tall growing flowers. Blooms very early.

6319 VALERIA. Striking color wherever grown. Brightest scarlet. Florets of large size open freely on exhibition sized spikes. Unsurpassed.

Varieties listed above at 3 for 30c; 6 for 50c; 12 for 75c;
 25 for \$1.45; 100 for \$5.25, Postpaid.

All large 1- to 1½-inch size bulbs, guaranteed to please and bloom this summer.
 (For continuous bloom plant numbers of bulbs at two week intervals.)



Red Charm

**TWO SPECIAL GLADIOLUS
 COLLECTION OFFERS**

6300—GROUP No. 1

80 Eight of each of the ten outstanding varieties described above—
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40 Four of each of the ten colorful and magnificent varieties described.
 A tremendous value at . . . **\$2.50**
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 No. 6330

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100 for 3.50
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HARDY FLOWERING VINES FOR LIVING SCREENS

Giant Clematis

7104 JACKMANI. (Purple). One of the best and freest flowering varieties we know of. The flowers, when fully expanded, are from 4 to 6 inches in diameter. The color is an intense violet-purple, with a rich velvety sheen distinctively veined. Blooms from July until frost.

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7113 MME. LE COULTRE. (White). Lovely pure white, large flowers. A strong grower and very hardy. One of the best. A continuous bloomer.

Prices on above Clematis,
alike or assorted.

2-YR., No. 1, FIELD-GROWN PLANTS,
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ALL VINES SHIPPED POSTPAID

7108 EVERGREEN BITTERSWEET

EUONYMUS RADICANS VEGETUS

Beautiful waxy dark green leaves and attractive orange-colored berries that stay on the vine all winter. Foliage is evergreen and the vine will cling to brick, stone or any kind of wall. May also be kept trimmed in pillar form for use at corners in foundation plantings. 2-yr., \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75, postpaid.

7103 PURPLE WISTERIA VINE

A beautiful climbing vine of rapid growth, producing long pendulous clusters of lavender flowers. Fine for shading the upper part of a house. Will wind its way up any support. 2-yr., grafted plants, \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75, postpaid.

3432 PURPLE TREE WISTERIA

The exotically beautiful Purple Wisteria with its drooping panicles of gorgeous blooms, we now offer in grafted form. Will lend a note of distinction to your lawn or grounds. Flower panicles increase in size and number as the trees grow. Add this rare and elegant ornamental for permanent value and beauty. 3-ft. grafted trees, \$4.00 each; 2 for \$7.25, postpaid.

Silver Lace Vine—A White Lace Curtain for the Pergola



Clematis Jackmani—Large Blooms of Deep Satiny Purple

7109 AMERICAN BITTERSWEET

Widely used as a winter bouquet in the home. Handsome foliage and in fall has those large clusters of orange-crimson berries which it retains all winter. If given support will climb over most any surface. Grow your own Bittersweet. Nice heavy rooted, 3-yr., plants, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

7101 BOSTON IVY

A splendid vine for covering, as it clings perfectly to the smoothest surface. Foliage is bright glossy green, changing to brilliant hues of scarlet, crimson and orange in the fall. This is the vine seen so much creeping up over brick walls of old churches and homes. Hardy and easily grown. All 2-yr. vines, 70c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

7102 HALL'S SWEET-SCENTED HONEYSUCKLE

A strong, vigorous evergreen variety of Honeysuckle, with pure white flowers changing to yellow. Very fragrant and covered with bloom from June to November. 2-yr., 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

7110 "Scarlet Beauty" HONEYSUCKLE

ONE OF AMERICA'S MOST BRILLIANT FLOWERING VINES—EVERBLOOMING—EVERGREEN

Blooms all summer. Loads of richly fragrant, brilliantly colored blooms. Inside of bloom is bright gold with outside of petals bright rosy red. Excellent for foliage and cover as leaves remain green until long after freezing weather. Rapid, vigorous grower. Nice 2-yr. plants, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

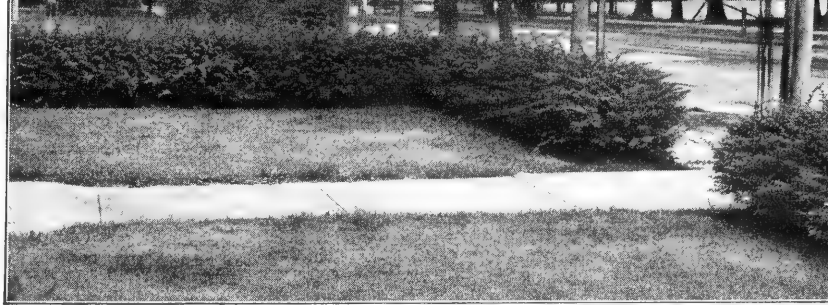
Scarlet Beauty
Honeysuckle



7111 SILVER LACE VINE

In a few short years this has come to be America's No. 1 vine for covering pergolas, archways, arbors, lattice, fences, etc. It is graceful, hardy and easy to grow. Will grow 25 feet or more in a season and a fully developed specimen is a cloud of misty white, with tints of yellow and pale rose, suggesting old lace. One of the most satisfactory vines. 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

Enclose Your Grounds - **HARDY HEDGES** FOR PRIVACY, PROTECTION DEFINITION OF PROPERTY



Barberry Makes a Beautiful Hedge—Effectively Wards Off Trespassers, Too

5500 HARDY AMOOR RIVER PRIVET

Most universally planted of all hedges. Shiny dark green leaves, not subject to blight or disease. Very hardy, a rapid grower. May be sheared any shape. Plant 10 inches apart and prune back to 8 to 10 inches after planting for a dense hedge. 2-yr., well branched, 15- to 18-in., 25 for \$4.00; 50 for \$7.50; 100 for \$13.50, postpaid.

5502 GREEN-LEAVED BARBERRY

America's most popular low-growing hedge. Bright green leaves turn to dazzling shades of red, gold and bronze in the fall. Brilliant red berries in great numbers stay on through the winter months. Perfectly hardy and will grow in shade or on poor soil. May be pruned or sheared any time. 2-yr., 12- to 15-in., 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.00, postpaid.

5505 SPECIAL OFFER OF SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI!

FOR FLOWERING HEDGES, SHRUB BORDERS
OR LARGE ESTATE PLANTINGS

AN UNUSUAL VALUE IN AMERICA'S MOST WIDELY PLANTED
SHRUB

The most popular of all shrubs. Profuse clusters of tiny white blooms completely cover the sweeping branches in May. Delicately cut leaves stay bright green until autumn, then turn to bright shades of bronze and yellow. Grows to 6 feet, but may be pruned any time after blooming period. Makes a beautiful flowering hedge.

(Plant 15 to 18 in. apart for hedge; 2 to 3 ft. apart for shrub border.)

Well rooted, 12-18-inch plants:

10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$3.75; 50 for
\$7.00; 100 for \$13.50, postpaid.

5501 BUSH HONEYSUCKLE HEDGING

No hardier plant can be found than the Bush Honeysuckle. Grows to a height of 8 to 10 feet, with upright and somewhat spreading branches. Foliage is bright green and flowers are borne freely in May and June. Very fragrant and attracts bees and humming birds. Showy red berries ripen in summer and cling to the bush for many weeks. The best shrub in our nursery for a high, compact hedge, for screening purposes or to attract birds. 2-yr., 18- to 24-in., 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$13.50, postpaid.

5503 RED-LEAVED BARBERRY

General growing habit and hardiness same as Green-Leaved Barberry described at left, except that the foliage on this variety is a rich, deep red. The ideal plant for foliage contrast. Should be planted in sun to get best effect. Well rooted, 2-yr., 12- to 15-in., 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00, postpaid.

Dwarf Hardy BOXWOOD

5510 For Dwarf Evergreen Hedges

No doubt you have at various times admired the dwarf Boxwood hedges used so much for garden outlines on large estates. Most of the earlier Boxwood in this country came from England and later was much used in Virginia, New Jersey and other eastern states.

We have a nice stock of these plants which have proven entirely hardy in Northern Indiana and offer them to our customers at a reasonable price. In extreme northern sections they should be given some winter protection.

(Note: for close hedges, plant 6 to 8 inches apart. For bed outlining, plant 1 foot apart. Will eventually reach 2 to 3 feet high unless severely sheared and kept low.)

4-yr., 6- to 8-in. plants, 3 for \$1.25;
10 for \$3.80; 25 for \$8.25;
100 for \$32.00. All Postpaid.



Evergreen **GROUND COVERS** FINE FOR SHADE

7122 RED-LEAVED WINTERCREEPER (Euonymus Colorata)

One of the best ground covers for under trees. Lays close to the ground and the plants spread rapidly, soon making a dark green solid cover. Will thrive in full sun or in partial or deep shade. Grand for between evergreens or to fill in odd corners, etc. Foliage turns purplish red in fall and remains colorful all through the winter. Well rooted plants, ready to make you a lovely ground cover.

5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.75; 20 for \$5.00;
50 for \$10.00; 100 for \$17.50, all postpaid.

7121 JAPANESE SPURGE Also Called PACHYSANDRA

A trailing plant with beautiful waxy green foliage that stays green winter and summer. Most valuable plant to use on densely shaded area where grass will not grow. The only plant that will do well under or between evergreens to keep down weeds. Makes a beautiful low hedge for bordering walks and drives. Thrives best in shady places only. Plant 12 inches apart each way. 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.95; 20 for \$3.65; 50 for \$7.95; 100 for \$15.50, postpaid.



HARDY SHRUBS for FOR PERMANENT PLANTINGS OF LIVING

Our Hardy Shrubs are All Heavy Rooted, 2-Year

8104 BEAUTY BUSH—*Kolkwitzia*

Charming shrub introduction from China. Center stems are upright, the outer branches gracefully arching. Very attractive foliage. Blooms profusely in June. Flowers are bell-shaped, pale pink with orange veins, and are borne in long clusters along the branches. Does well in shade and grows rapidly. Nice 2-yr., plants, 90c each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8119 SNOW GARLAND SPIREA

(*SPIRAEA ARGUTA*)

One of the finest of the early flowering shrubs. Blooms just as the leaves appear. Entire bush becomes a mass of tiny white flowers. Foliage is cut-leaved, lacy and very ornamental in summer. In fall, after the first frost, it flames brilliantly into shades of red, gold and bronze. Perfectly hardy and thrives under average conditions. Grows to about 4 to 5 feet tall, making it a valuable addition to the list of medium sized shrubs. 2-yr. shrubs, 80c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8135 SPIREA FROEBELI

RED FOLIAGE IN SPRING

Large flat clusters of deep pink flowers nearly all summer make this variety especially good for nearly all plantings. Dwarf in habit and fine for inner border work. Will get about 30 inches high. 2-yr. shrubs, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

8113 BRIDAL WREATH or SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI

Without doubt one of the most useful and most widely used shrubs in cultivation. Blooming in April and May. The plant throws out long branches that curve and droop to the ground, weighted with a mass of pure white flowers that suggest a fountain of snow. May be used for specimens, massed, or for hedges. Will grow to 8 feet high if untrimmed. 2-yr. shrubs, 70c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

8105 OLD-FASHIONED SNOWBALL BUSH

Viburnum Opulus Sterile

Always a favorite shrub. Bears masses of large, white ball-shaped blooms in late May or early June. Grows 8 to 10 feet high, which makes it valuable for use in a shrub border. Also much used for specimen planting on the lawn. Foliage is dark green, leathery in texture and ornamental. 2-yr. blooming size plants, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8126 SCARLET FIREBUSH

NEW, UPRIGHT GROWING TYPE

Early in the spring this attractive shrub is completely covered with dazzling orange-scarlet flowers, which are followed by small, fragrant, Quince-shaped fruit. Foliage waxy and dark green. Branches are rough and closely knit, making it desirable for hedges.

This new type grows with branches upright instead of loosely horizontal as did the old type. 2-yr., 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8142 NEW DWARF CORKBARK SHRUB

(*Euonymus Alatus Compactus*) BURNING BUSH

A new attractive shrub because of its heavily ridged branches. Flutings resemble layers of cork. New dwarf type. Foliage is especially fine in autumn when it changes to many brilliant shades. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. 2-yr., \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25, postpaid.

Gentlemen:

I thought that you would be interested in knowing that my shipment of shrubbery, including Phlox and Peonies, arrived at Anchorage, April 28, having been post marked your town the 12th. The contents were in perfect condition, the plants having some new growth, and the packing was well moistened. I was most happy with the condition of these plants and feel that you should have no hesitancy in making shipments via parcel post (regular) to Anchorage, Alaska. Some nurseries think that we are a part of some foreign country and refuse to make shipment.

Very truly yours,
Mrs. S. J. A.

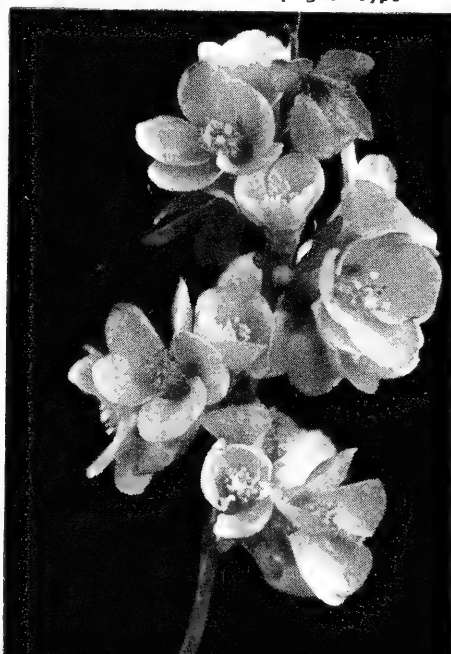
Scarlet Firebush—Upright Type

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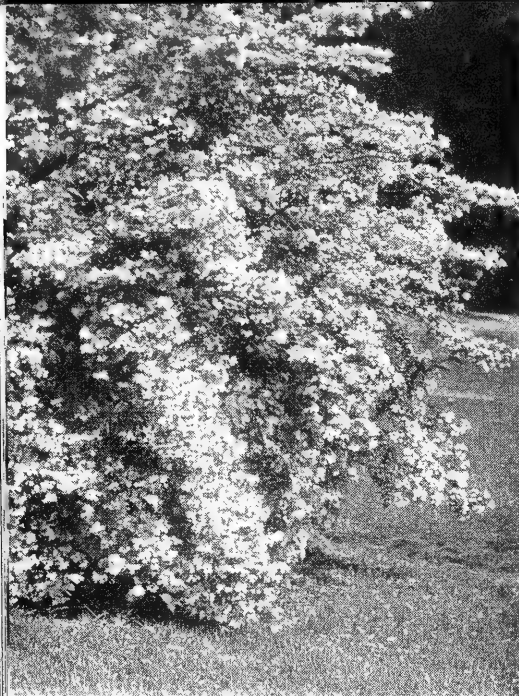
Snowball Shrub in Full Bloom

Set large shrubs 3½ to 4 feet apart; medium growing 2 to 3 feet apart; and low growing 1½ to 2 feet apart. Keep oldest growth cut out and entire shrub shapely by yearly pruning.

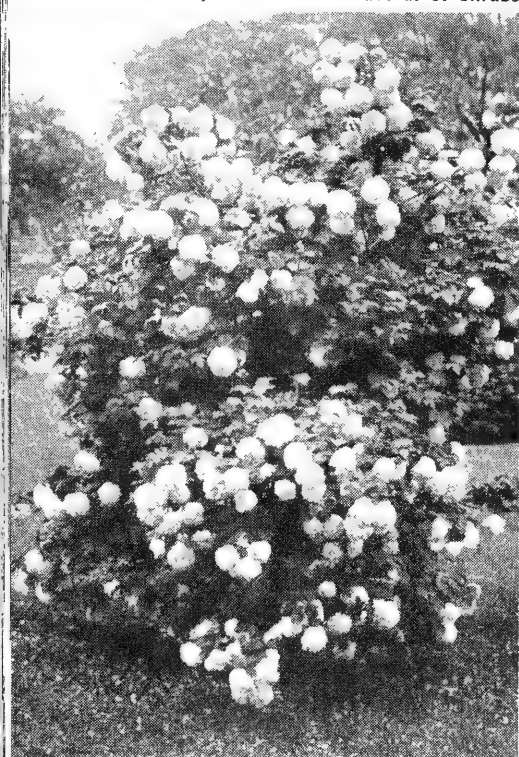
Bush of Spirea Van Houttei in Full Bloom



Dwarf Corkbark Shrub



Beauty Bush—Most Graceful of Shrubs



HOME BEAUTY and COLOR

COLOR AND USEFULNESS SHRUBS ARE UNEQUALLED

Field-Grown, Blooming Size Plants—the Ideal Size

8128 HYDRANGEA PEEGEE

A tall, stately shrub growing to 4 feet in height. Branches bending over with giant cone-shaped flowers which are white at first, then pink and late in fall turning to copper and bronze. When cut, they last for weeks inside. **Price: 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

8111 RED CORALBERRY

EXCELLENT SHRUB FOR SHADED LOCATIONS

This is the greatest shrub for shady places that we have ever seen. Grows to a height of 5 feet with gracefully arching branches and lacy foliage. Blooms are followed in fall by glowing red berries twice the size of the old Indian Currant and as red as those of the High Bush Cranberry. Don't fail to get some of these shrubs for shady locations. **2-yr. shrubs, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.**

8117 PINK FLOWERING ALMOND

Earliest spring flowering shrub, in full bloom before leaves appear. Beautiful pearly pink, double blooms snuggle tight to twigs, completely covering the bush. Medium height, reaching about 4 feet. **2-yr. shrubs, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

8107 GENUINE Old-Fashioned PURPLE LILAC

No other shrub has quite the place in the hearts of people that the old-fashioned Lilac has. Grows anywhere and its masses of light purple bloom in early spring are a constant delight. Fine for tall hedges, screens or specimens. No grounds complete without this fine old shrub. Grows 12 to 16 feet tall. **2-yr. shrubs, 80c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

8109 PERSIAN LILAC

If you love the fragrance and loveliness of blooms of the Lilac, then you will want to add the Persian variety to your plantings. Its lacy, pinkish lavender panicles come after the old-fashioned Purple Lilac has finished blooming. Thus the Lilac season is greatly prolonged. Mature plants are somewhat finer in branch texture than other Lilacs, foliage is bright green and ornamental all season. Grows readily in average soil and may be kept in bounds by trimming when desired size is reached. **Nice 2-yr. plants, 85c each; 3 for \$2.35, postpaid.**

8112 FRENCH PUSSY WILLOW

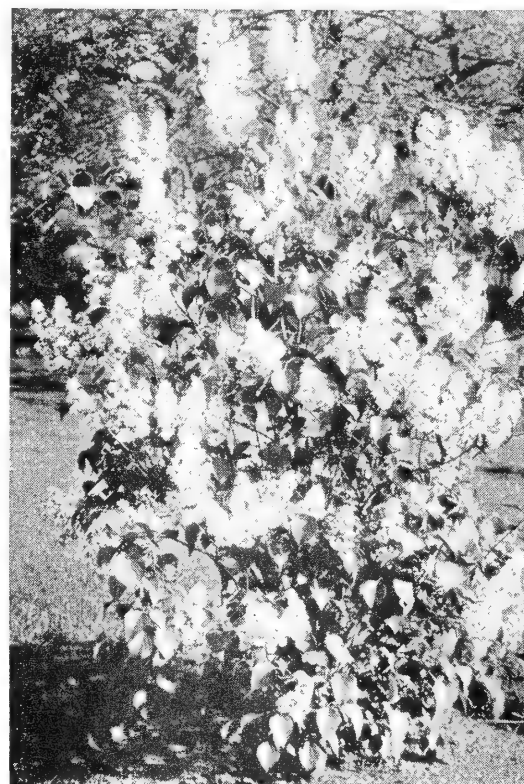
A small tree-like shrub with attractive leaves two inches long and an inch wide. Its popular appeal is the conspicuous silky catkins which bud in the fall, and make those "springy" bouquets just as the snow melts in the spring. Very easily grown. **2-yr., 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**



French Pussy Willow



Hydrangea Pee Gee

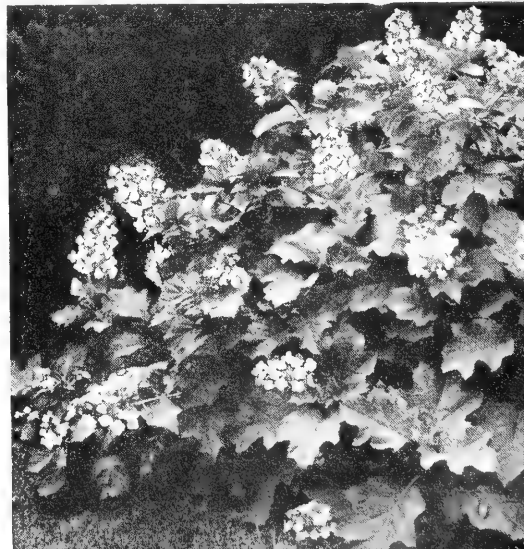


Old-Fashioned Purple Lilac

8108 OAK-LEAVED HYDRANGEA

A truly marvelous bushy shrub. Flowers in large creamy clusters. The dark green foliage has a silvery sheen on under side and turns to a glowing red in the fall. Grows to a height of 4 to 5 feet and is very effective as an ornamental shrub. Does well in shady locations. **2-yr. shrubs, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.**

Oak-Leaved Hydrangea



8157 VIBURNUM LANTANA

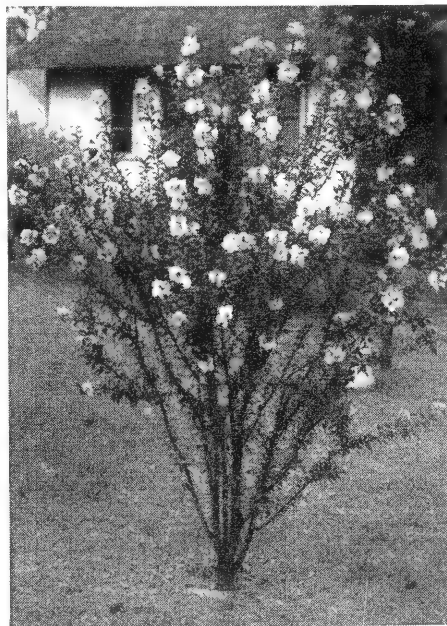
WAYFARING TREE

One of the best known shrubs for tall screens or backgrounds. Will grow to 15 feet at maturity. Has white blooms in May followed by red berries which turn black as they ripen. Wonderful shrub to attract birds to your grounds. A distinctive feature is the heavy, leathery type foliage, ridged and deep green. Hardy and may be pruned into small tree shape if wanted. **Nice heavy, 3-foot plants, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.**





Calycanthus—Sweet Scented Shrub



Double Althea—Rose of Sharon

8159 GOLDEN SPIREA

One of the best shrubs we have for reliable foliage color in your borders. Extremely hardy sort, rapid in growth to 5 to 6 ft. mature height, has heavy ribbed, yellow leaves all through the season. Blooms are white but are not the best feature of the plant, which is to provide golden shades to make contrast with the greens of other shrubs. **Nice 2-yr. plants, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.**

Green Barberry is Ideal for Corner Plantings

BEAUTY, PERMANENCE, DEPENDABILITY— With Krider's **HARDY SHRUBS** All are Heavy Rooted, 2-Year, Field-Grown, Blooming Size

8110 CALYCANTHUS

Sweet-Scented Shrub

A favorite in all gardens and admired for its spicy aroma. Peculiarly shaped brown blossoms during most of the summer, followed by attractive seed pods. 4 to 6 feet when matured. **85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

8155 LOVELY EVERGREEN WINTERBERRY

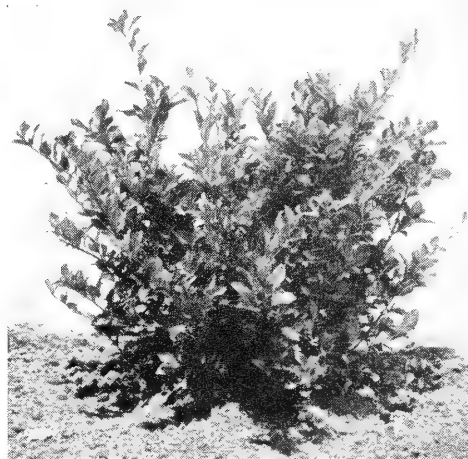
Euonymus Radicans Erecta

A most attractive and versatile shrub. Glossy green leaves stay on all winter; makes a shapely bush growing 18 to 24 inches tall with red berries which hang on until late into the winter. Blends in perfectly with foundation evergreen plantings.

Use them under windows or at steps

where dwarf and compact plants are desired. Thrives in sun or partial shade.

Strong, heavy rooted, 2-yr. plants, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25; 4 for \$4.00, postpaid.



Evergreen Winterberry

ALTHEAS—Double Flowering Rose of Sharon

Tall, beautiful flowering shrubs. Double flowers resemble Roses with tightly curved petals. Color shades stand out vividly in group plantings or as specimens. Very worth-while plant to buy, as they are easily grown, unusually hardy and bloom long and lavishly.

Note: The Altheas are very late in leafing out in the spring. Do not be alarmed if they stand dormant up into June.

**WE OFFER
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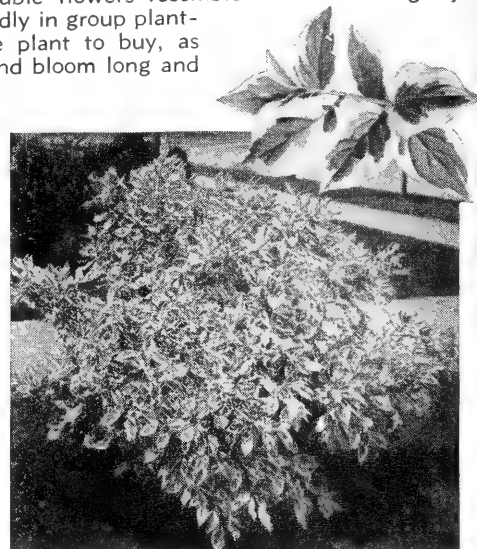
8143—RED 8144—WHITE

8145—BLUE 8146—PINK

Your Choice: Blooming size plants, 75c each; 4 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8152 CORNUS ELEGANTISSIMA FOR BEAUTIFUL FOLIAGE

One of the scarcest shrubs among nurserymen today, yet one of the finest grown. Reaches only 4 to 5 ft. in height. Branches have beautiful purplish red bark and foliage is most strikingly variegated. The color contrast in the shrub border creates a delightful effect. May be easily held to any desired size by trimming. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.**



Cornus Elegantissima

Double Flowering Kerria

8122 GREEN BARBERRY

No shrub is so generally planted or has so many practical uses as Japanese Barberry. It hasn't a single serious fault, and can be grown in shade, moist, dry, sunny locations. When grown as specimen plants or as an edging to taller shrubs its graceful arching branches covered with luxuriant green foliage in summer and flashing red berries all winter make a most pleasing sight. **65c each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.**

8129 DOUBLE FLOWERING KERRIA

AN EXCELLENT SHRUB FOR SHADED LOCATIONS

The ideal shrub for shade. Light green branches and leaves. Bright yellow double blooms the size of a half dollar completely cover the bush in spring. Semi-dwarf and very hardy. **2-yr. shrubs, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.**



COLORFUL, HARDY, FLOWERING ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS FOR BEAUTIFUL HOMES and GROUNDS—

HEAVY ROOTED, 2-YEAR, FIELD-GROWN, BLOOMING SIZE PLANTS
PROVIDE NEW SPRING BEAUTY
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FRENCH LILACS

THREE FINE
VARIETIES

These budded French Lilacs will not sucker up from the roots as common Lilacs often do. They are among the easiest of shrubs to grow and use is practically unlimited. Valuable as specimen plants and equally effective in massed plantings. Colors are beautifully rich and deep; and their fragrance is extremely desirable.

8123 CHARLES X. Wine-red.

8124 GENERAL PERSHING. Blue-violet.

8125 MME. CASIMER PERIER. White.

18 to 24 in., ready to
bloom, \$1.25 each; 3 for
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8130 NEW FORSYTHIA "SPRING GLORY"

LARGER, BRILLIANT YELLOW
BLOOMS for EARLIEST COLOR

A spectacular new Forsythia which bears such masses of so much larger blooms than older varieties that a mature plant in full bloom in early spring is an almost unbelievable sight. The brilliant large yellow florets completely cover the branches, giving the effect of a giant sunburst. Canes grow erect with gracefully drooping tips. Very hardy in all sections of the country and thrives and grows vigorously in ordinary soil. Nice 2-yr., blooming size plants, 90c each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

SPECIAL NOTE: We can also furnish the New Lynwood Gold Forsythia, No. 8158, the largest and brightest of them all at \$1.00 ea.; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.

8116 VIBURNUM AMERICANUM

One of the best of all Viburnums for the shrub border or anywhere that a fairly tall shrub is needed. Beautiful bright green foliage; clustered white blooms in May; clumps of extremely large ornamental bright red berries following and remaining until early winter. Berries are about twice the size of those on the regular High Bush Cranberry. Will reach 8 to 10 feet when matured. 2-yr., 95c each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8156 COLORFUL HYPERICUM "HIDCOTE"

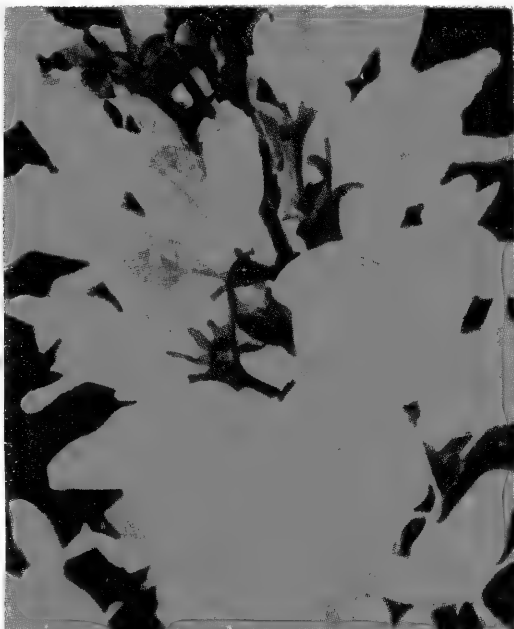
Large Flowering

A wonderful NEW variety of Hypericum recently introduced from England. Dwarf, reaching only 18 inches in height, making it ideal for use in foundation as well as in all foreground work. Brightest yellow, cup-like blooms, many times 2 inches in diameter. In bloom from June to October. Nice 2-yr., blooming size, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.

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French Lilac, "Chas. X"—One of the Best



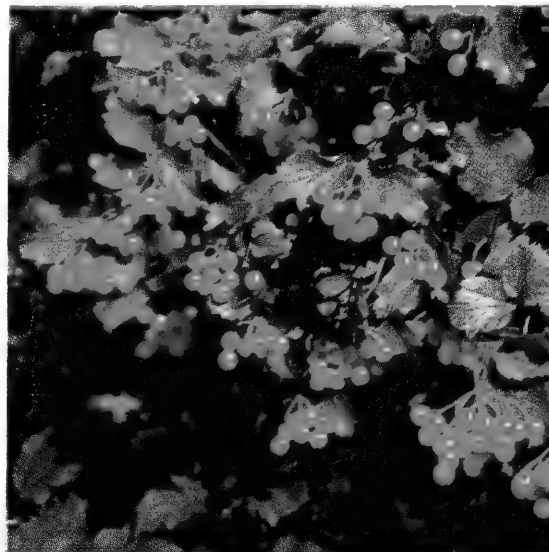
Forsythia, "Spring Glory"

8133 DOUBLE VIRGINAL MOCK ORANGE

PHILADELPHUS VIRGINALIS

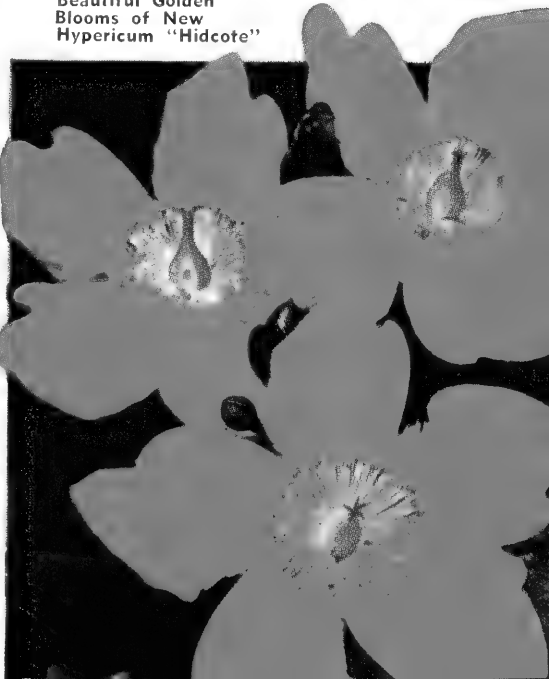
Blooms throughout the season. Without question one of the most beautiful of the shrubs. Single flowers on one-year wood; double flowers on two-year wood. Grows 6 to 8 feet in height and is a valuable addition to any shrub group. Blooms with single flowers on new growth all summer. 2-yr. shrubs, 95c each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

Double Flowering Virginal Mock Orange



Bright Scarlet—Viburnum Americanum

Beautiful Golden
Blooms of New
Hypericum "Hidcote"



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FINEST SELECTED VARIETIES—ALL
HIGHEST QUALITY PLANTS—

8149 MAHONIA—(Oregon Holly Grape)

The Holly-Leaved Evergreen Shrub. Ideal for use with evergreens, or alone for foundation plantings. Grows about 4 feet high in mid-western sections. Leaves resemble those of Holly tree. Remain green through the winter then drop off in spring when other shrubs leaf out. Foliage soon comes again and remains until the next spring. Hardy and does exceptionally well in shaded locations. Nice 3-yr. plants, \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75; 6 for \$5.00, postpaid.



Mahonia—Evergreen in Winter

BUDDLEIAS

SUMMER LILAC

8102 HARTWEGI

Foliage very heavy and of superb dark green. Flower sprays are borne on every branch, and are large and well shaped. Color a pleasing bright lavender with each tiny floret having a distinct orange eye. Excellent for cutting. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

8103 PINK CHARMING

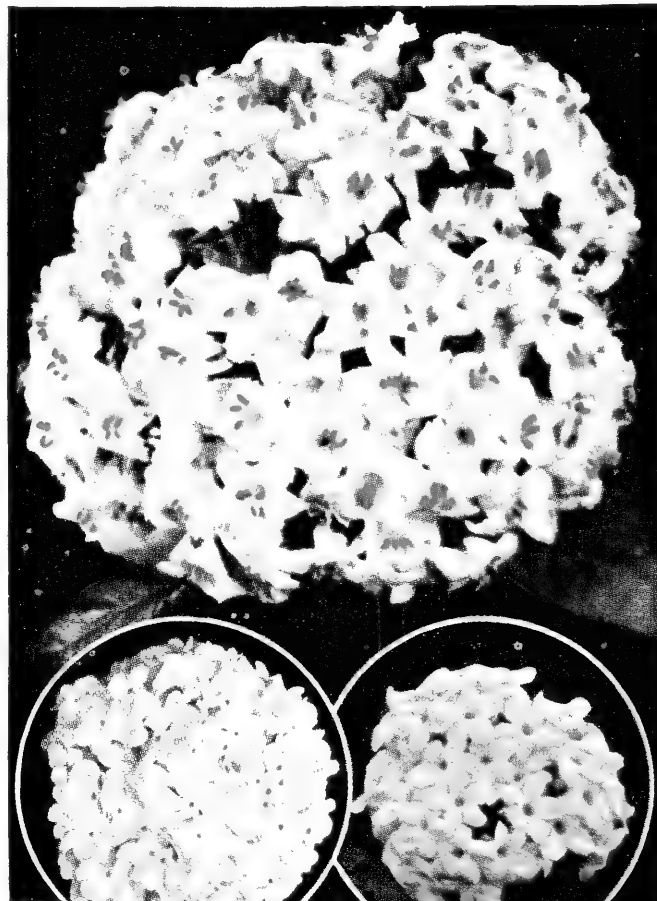
Extra long flower panicles of lively pink, many measure 15 to 18 inches long, full and tapering perfectly toward the top. Foliage of clear green, blends with any background. Like all Buddleias, new shoots come up from the ground each spring. The old wood dies back during the winter and should be pruned out as soon as new growth starts. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

8101 ROYAL RED

(Plant Patent No. 556)

The reddest Buddleia to date. It will surprise you with the great number of shoots it throws up to a height of 5 feet, each tipped with a 15- to 18-inch spike of glistening, satiny, purplish red. A brilliant variety for cutting. All of the three Buddleias described will bloom this year. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

Buddleia,
Royal Red



Gardenia Scented
Wonder Shrub
(Viburnum Burkwoodi)

Pink Flowering
Snowball
(Viburnum Carlesi)

8600 VIBURNUM BURKWOODI Gardenia Scented Wonder Shrub

Thrives in Semi-Shaded Locations

This grafted variety brings you the hardiness, rapid growth, beautiful fluted foliage and general dependability of the family plus a new loveliness of bloom. Large, bell-like masses of waxy creamy white have a rich Gardenia fragrance. In the dusk of evening the perfume will envelop the whole lawn. Plant is semi-dwarf, seldom over 5 feet when matured. Foliage colors richly in fall. 2-yr. plants from pots, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8181 VIBURNUM CARLESI

Pink Flowering Snowball

Richly scented flowers of soft pink. Plants are distinctive in appearance and splendid in growth habits. The ball-like blooms are borne in abundance and perfume the whole lawn area. Nice 2-yr. transplants at \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8100 SPECIAL BUDDLEIA COLLECTION

3 One of each of the
three magnificent
Buddleias described
above, will bloom this
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ALL PRICES BELOW POSTPAID
ALL ARE NICE 2-YEAR, FIELD-GROWN, BLOOMING SIZE PLANTS

8137 Watermelon-Red CRAPE MYRTLE

The plant which is so much a part of southern beauty, is now available in hardy form for those in more northern climates. Habit similar to Buddleia, as it dies down to the ground each winter in the North, but throws up new shoots each spring and flowers in the summer. If you want a real thrill in plants, we recommend this one. Will grow in any good garden soil. Plant about 3 feet apart for borders. 12- to 18-inch, \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75; 4 for \$3.00, postpaid.



8136 DWARF SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER

A choice, low growing shrub, distinctive in style and form. It produces masses of showy, bright crimson flower clusters in July, and if the old blooms are cut away, it will continue to bloom until frost. Nice for specimen planting as well as in groups. Ultimate height 18 to 24 inches. Price: 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8141 KRIDER'S FAMOUS THREE-COLOR ALTHEA

Our National Colors Offered In a Living Shrub. Red, White and Blue Blooms at the Same Time on One Bush.

Everyone should show their colors in one form or another. The markets are flooded with various items of metal, paper and cloth which are but temporarily useful. Why not have a permanent, living display on your lawn.

We have grafted and grown a number of these tri-color Rose of Sharon to give you something worth-while in shrubs.

Display our National colors in your lawn! One section red, one section white and one section blue. Sure to please. Well rooted, 2-yr., blooming size, 2 to 3 feet tall. Plant one on each side of your walk! \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.50, postpaid.

Krider's Famous Three-Color Althea



8140 DWARF BLOOD-LEAVED MAPLE

Rounded dwarf trees seldom mature to over 10 feet in height. Densely furnished to the ground with indented leaves of unrivaled brilliancy and charm. Their early spring and midsummer color is a vivid blood-red, which dulls to a bronzy purple-red towards fall. They make splendid foreground subjects in mixed groups or are unexcelled for a bright spot of color in the open lawn.

We offer this scarce and rare tree in true to color, grafted plants. 5-YEAR-OLD, 12 to 18 INCHES IN HEIGHT FOR ONLY \$3.50 EACH, or 2 FOR \$6.50, POSTPAID.

8154 KRIDER'S BLUE HYDRANGEA

The most desired of all the Hydrangeas. It blooms in great profusion, from New York City to Cleveland, Ohio; and south to the Gulf Coast and Florida.

This Hydrangea is a Japanese type that blooms pink flowers on the 1-year stems, followed by blue flowers on the 2-year-old wood. In other words, it is necessary to have 2-year-old wood to have the blue Hydrangea.

We now have a nice stock of these young plants which we are offering to our customers. 2-yr. plants, blooming size, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.



Watermelon-Red Crape Myrtle



Brilliant Dwarf Blood-Leaved Maple
Gorgeous Blue Hydrangea





Everblooming Tamarix,
Feathery Foliage and Lacy Blooms



Krider's Red Flowering Bush Honeysuckle

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Hardy Golden Privet



HARDY ORNAMENTALS

FOR LAWN, BORDER or FOUNDATION—THESE
SHRUBS GIVE UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION

WEIGELAS - Satisfactory and Useful In All Shrub Plantings

8138 ROSEA, Pink

One of the finest of the family. Tall and vigorous growing with abundant pink flowers in June. Occasional blooms the balance of the summer. Will reach 7 to 8 feet in height. Excellent shrub for use in the shrub border and also desirable for use in the foundation planting about the home. 2-year, blooming size, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8139 "BRISTOL RUBY"

THE WEIGELA WITHOUT A FAULT (U. S. Plant Patent No. 492)

A few years have proven this to be one of the best shrubs available for all types of landscape planting. The hardest Weigela developed to date, it withstands the hardest freezes and continues to bloom year after year. Color is a rich ruby-red which does not fade after the blooms open. Foliage is heavy and deep green. Reaches about 6 feet in height with branches growing erect and even. Mature plant is well shaped with no straggling branches. Require but little pruning. Heavy rooted, 2-year blooming size, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50, postpaid.

8131 EVERBLOOMING TAMARIX

Beautiful shrub with soft fern-like foliage of a rich powder-blue color. Shell-pink blooms appear early in the season and continue until frost. Add a few of these and notice how they light up your whole planting. Mature height about 10 feet. (Note: The wood of this shrub is extremely hard, therefore they are among the last shrubs to start leafing out in the spring. Many do not get out in leaf until the middle of June here in the nursery.) Nice 2-yr. plants, 90c each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

8132 KRIDER'S BEAUTIFUL RED FLOWERING BUSH HONEYSUCKLE

A remarkable shrub because of its deep green foliage, its hardiness and its free blooming habit. All the fine qualities of the bush Honeysuckle plus a distinctly new color of blooms. The actual colored photograph at left cannot do justice to the beauty of this shrub. It thrives in most any location or in most any type of soil. When it is in full bloom it is literally studded with glowing rosy red flowers of most exquisite fragrance. Mature height 8 feet. 2-yr. shrubs, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25, postpaid.

8148 HARDY GOLDEN PRIVET

For brilliant color contrast, mix a few of these plants with your shrub plantings or plant dividing hedges of Golden Privet. Hardy and fast growing, yet may be kept sheared at the desired height and size. Plant four of them in a diamond shape at a corner of your lawn and skirt with 5 plants of Red Barberry, making a colorful, hardy and protective corner planting.

Nice 2-yr. plants, 80c each; 4 for \$2.75; 25 for \$13.50.

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SENT PREPAID**

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New Weigela, Bristol Ruby
(U. S. Plant Patent No. 492)

8121 BRILLIANT RED BARBERRY

This brilliant Barberry is becoming more popular every year. Bronze-red leaves during the summer turn to fiery red in fall. Red Barberry should be planted in full sun for best color results. 2-yr. heavy, 15-18 in., 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Red Barberry—Combine With Golden Privet for Corners



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FOR LAWN PLANTING

Sunburst

No. 3441

The greatest new shade tree since the discovery of Crimson King Maple, has brightest golden bronze foliage of any tree we know of. Fast growing, clean and long lived, completely free of thorns and disease resistant. Tree is well formed with excellent spreading branching habit. Sunburst's brilliant coloring is limited to tips of each branch, giving it the appearance of being in full bloom throughout the summer. Withstands drought, heat and cold. Excellent for lawn or street planting. **Strong well rooted trees, 5- to 6-ft., \$6.00 each; 2 for \$11.00.**

3425 MT. ASH

One of the most ornamental of all trees. Fine foliage which turns a brilliant orange-red in fall. Clusters of flashy orange colored fruits brighten the fall landscape and often remain all through the winter. **Heavy rooted, 5- to 6-ft. trees, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.00.**

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3415 Brilliant New Maple
"CRIMSON KING"

One of the finest new introductions in the line of shade trees. This beautiful new Maple is of the Norway or Hard Maple family and has all of their good characteristics PLUS the new glory of having brilliant red foliage. Color holds well throughout the summer. A striking spot of color when used with other trees or when planted alone as a specimen. Needs full sun to get full effect of the red color.

We offer nice 5- to 6-ft. trees at \$4.50 each; 2 for \$8.50.

Spectacular New Maple, "Crimson King"

3411 RIVERS' PURPLE-LEAVED BEECH

A MATURE SPECIMEN
IS ONE OF THE MOST
VALUABLE OF ALL
TREES

One of the most beautiful and colorful of all trees. Easily grown, long-lived and extremely valuable when fully developed. Leaves come out a deep maroon in spring, turn gradually to a dark maroon-purple in summer, and in fall a rich purple-brown. Shapely in growth, rich in color, hardy and disease resistant, they will add that final touch of elegance to your lawn. Plant RIVERS' PURPLE-LEAVED BEECH, one of the best and finest trees known to man. **We offer the true grafted variety, 2-3 ft. trees, \$4.00 each; 2 for \$7.00.**



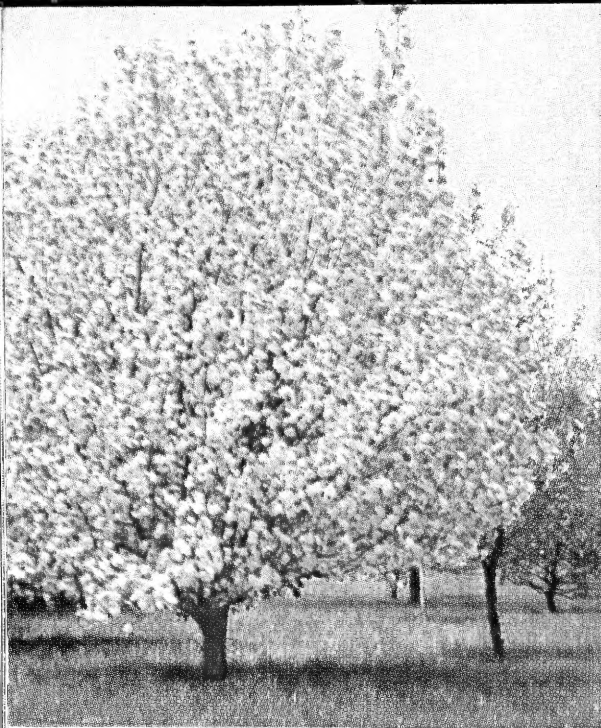
Sunburst Locust

Rivers' Purple-Leaved Beech—Scarce and Valuable



Mountain Ash



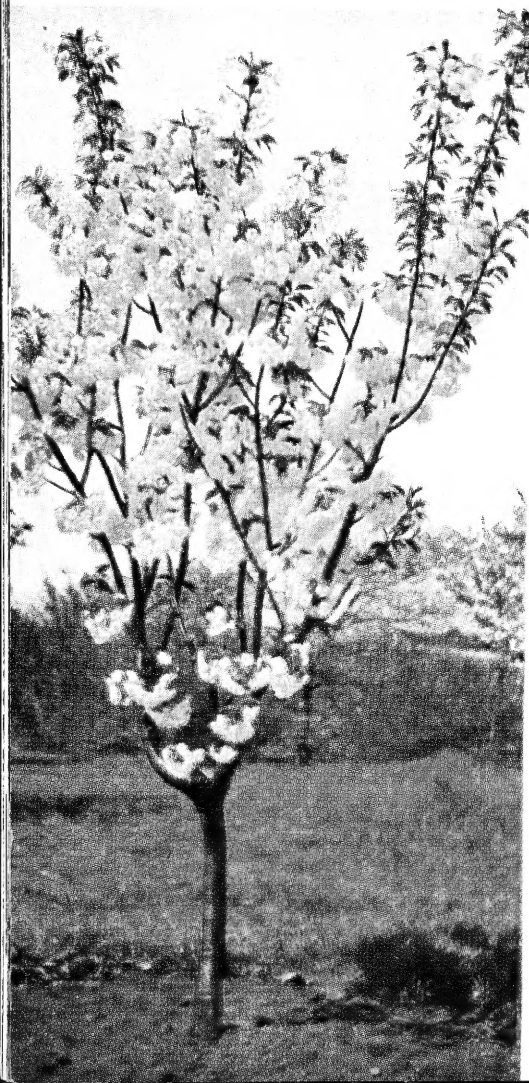


Eleyi Flowering Crab

3436 ALMEY CRIMSON FLOWERING CRAB

The most sensational of all Flowering Crabs, large blooms of brilliant fiery crimson make a traffic stopper. Blooms young and becomes more beautiful as it gets older. 4- to 5-ft. trees, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.50, prepaid.

Sacred Gate Double Flowering Cherry



3427 "ELEYI"

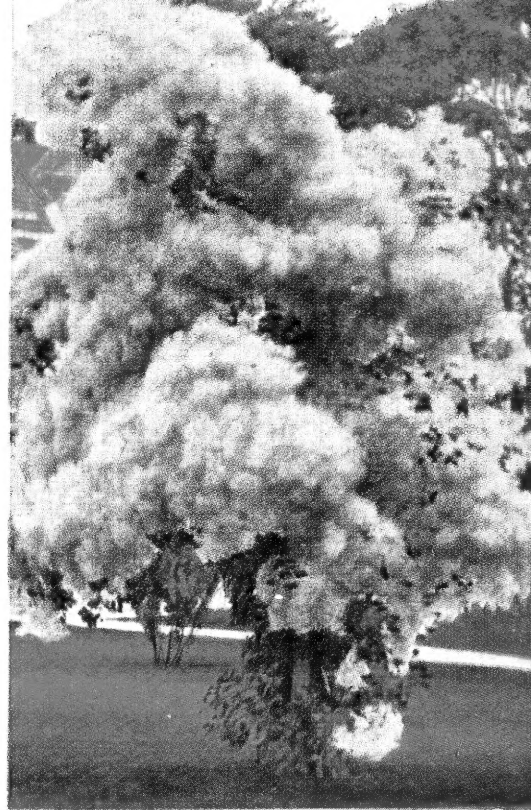
FLOWERING CRAB

This sensational Flowering Crab is beloved by all who have seen it. Rapid grower, very shapely in form, and at blooming time is a cloud of beauty on the landscape. Flowers are rich shell-pink in color and are followed by small ornamental fruits. 4- to 5-ft. trees, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.50, prepaid.

3404 BECHTEL'S DWARF DOUBLE FLOWERING CRAB

The only one of the Flowering Crabs having double flowers. Tree is dwarf in stature and in spring is almost hidden by the abundance of beautiful blooms, each resembling a small pink Rose. 3- to 4-ft. trees, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.50, prepaid.

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Smoke Tree

3412 SMOKE TREE

One of the most picturesque and unusual of the small hardy trees. Beautiful foliage of dense green is surmounted in summer with masses of loose, feathery panicles of minute flowers which give the effect of a dense cloud of smoke. Thrives anywhere but prefers a dry, sunny location. Foliage colors brilliantly in autumn. Grows to a height of 20 feet. Be sure to get this unique tree. 2- to 3-ft. trees, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75, prepaid.

3428 DOUBLE FLOWERING CHERRY "KWANZAN"

ALSO KNOWN AS "SACRED GATE" CHERRY

The loveliest of all the flowering trees. Fast growing tree and perfectly hardy. Excellent as an ornamental the year 'round, but of course, its crowning glory comes when it is completely covered with exquisite pearly pink blossoms. For planting along driveways it makes a delightful approach to any home. Plant 15 to 18 feet apart.

Nice well rooted trees, 3- to 4-ft. high, \$2.75 each; 2 for \$5.00 postpaid.

For America's fastest
growing shade tree,
MORAINE LOCUST,
see page 25.

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"THUNDER- CLOUD"

BLOOD-LEAVED PLUM

A dwarf tree of excellent shape, bearing foliage of a deep rich blood-red. As the season advances the colors become darker, gradually changing to a dull glowing bronze in fall. Tree is covered with pink blossoms in early spring. Heavy rooted, 3- to 4-ft. trees, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.50, prepaid.

"Thundercloud" Blood-Leaved Plum



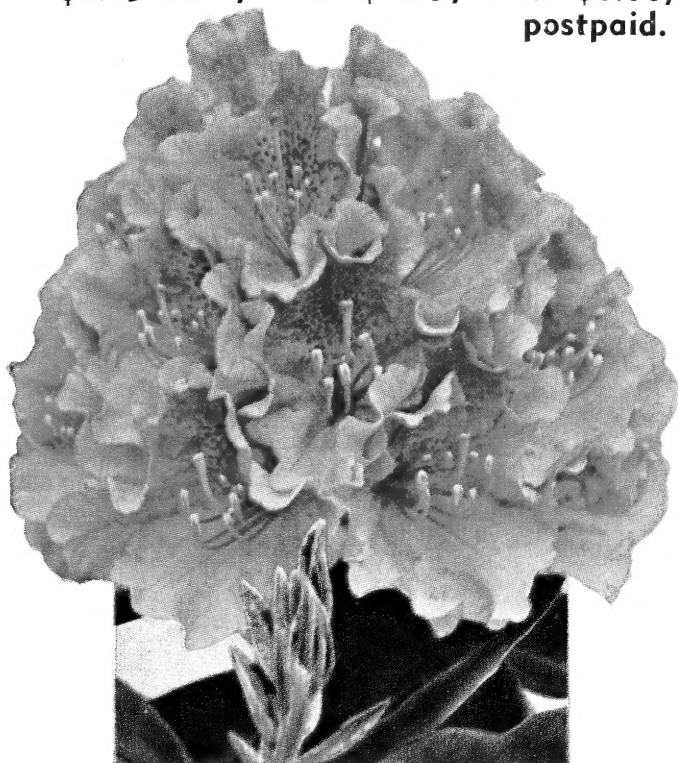
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INCREASED PROPERTY VALUES . . .

8400 Hardy Hybrid **AZALEA MOLLIS**

Azalea Mollis is a hardy variety of Azalea that blooms well and lives through the northern winters. It will add unusualness to any garden and will be a continual delight. Low growing, beautifully shaped, fine foliage, color of bloom ranges from yellow to deep orange and rose, blooms in May and June. We cannot guarantee choice of colors as these are hybrids, each one is different, grows best in semi-shady location. Grows 2 to 3 feet in height. Plant from 18 to 24 inches apart.

**Nice 10- to 12-inch, 6-year-old plants,
\$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25; 4 for \$6.00,
postpaid.**



Rhododendrons for Landscape Work and Foundation



Hybrid Azalea Mollis, for Brilliantly Glowing Spring Color

8500 RHODODENDRONS

NEW HARDY HYBRIDS FOR BEAUTY

Rhododendron, one of our most elegant native plants, is always a thing of beauty. This hardy new hybrid variety can withstand winter in the northern states and is perfectly adaptable for use in landscape and foundation plantings. Will grow best in semi-shady locations; foliage is large, glossy green, and stays that way the year around. We cannot guarantee choice of colors as these are hybrids. Shadings run from pink through lavender to deep rose, all colors are beautiful. Grows from 4 to 6 ft. in height depending on location. Plant 2 to 3 ft. apart.

**Nice 10- to 12-inch, 6-year-old plants,
\$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25; 4 for \$6.00,
postpaid.**

8601 **LOVELY DWARF HOLLY**

**DISTINCTIVE EVERGREEN TO ADD
NEW BEAUTY TO YOUR PLANTINGS**

ILEX CONVEXA

Something different to give your plantings new beauty and that final touch of elegance. Wonderful for use in foundation groupings because it remains dwarf and will never overgrow the space allotted to it. Deep green, waxy foliage densely borne on the numerous branches. A hardy, healthy, vigorous grower which does well in average soil. Use evergreen shrubs for beautiful landscaping and attractive foundations.

Use them at either or both sides of doorsteps or under windows as foundation planting along with evergreens or shrubs. Makes a shapely bush of 2 to 2½ feet at maturity.

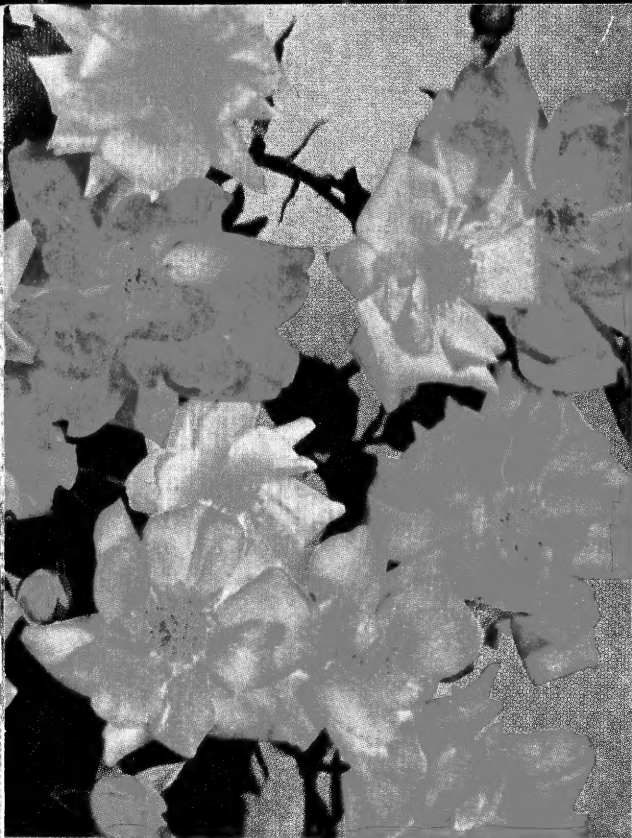
DWARF HOLLY PRICES

**Nice 8- to 10-inch,
heavy rooted plants, \$1.50
each; 2 for \$2.75; 4 for
\$5.00, postpaid.**

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Elegant and Exclusive—Dwarf Holly
Will Add Distinction To Your Home



2314 Masquerade—Pat. No. 975

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

For Constant
Summer Color in
Your Garden. Hardy,
Prolific—These Will
Bloom This Summer

2314 MASQUERADE

"Stunning" — "Amazing" —
"Gorgeous" — Choose your own
words to describe it! But above all
GET IT! — ENJOY IT! Masquer-
ade is just about the gayest thing
the plant world has ever known . . .
Reds, Corals, Pinks, Salmons and
Golds . . . All shadings and all on
the same plant at the same time!!
Sturdy, strong grower, and a mul-
titude of blooms from early sum-
mer through the fall.

2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00,
postpaid.

*Additional Floribundas
on Pages 13, 14 and 15*

2177 RED PINOCCHIO

Bright red companion to the original
Pinocchio. Plants are robust growers
and produce great quantities of blooms
from spring through the fall. Flori-
bundas are unexcelled for cutting pur-
poses as there is always a fresh supply
of flowers on the plants. Hardy and
splendid for bedding where bright
color effect is wanted. 2-yr., No. 1
plants, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.90; 12
for \$15.60, postpaid.



2177 Red
Pinocchio
Pat. No. 812

2155 GOLDSLOCKS

The new Floribunda in rich golden
yellow. The perfect little buds come in
masses and the open flowers are long
lasting. Hardly ever a day that you can-
not get all the golden buds you want for
cutting. Plants are very hardy and grow
vigorously. 2-yr., No. 1 plants, \$1.50
each; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60.



2155 Goldilocks—Pat. No. 672

2253 BACK COVER FLORIBUNDA ROSE COLLECTION

4 One of each of the four mag-
nificent varieties of Floribun-
das shown on this **\$6.10**
cover. A \$7.00 value.

ALL ROSES ARE PREPAID

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order individual va-
rieties, order by va-
riety number, not
by collection num-
ber. Collection num-
ber is for one of
each only.

2301 MA PERKINS

(Patent No. 1143)
All-America Winner for 1953

A lovely new Floribunda, with a very sweet
fragrance. This Rose is a deep glowing coral-
pink with a suffusion of yellow at the base of
the petal. A bed of this Floribunda Rose will
be a joy and delight through
summer and fall. Makes a
bushy plant about 2 feet tall
that blooms constantly. The
buds are perfect for arrange-
ments, double and very at-
tractive. 2-yr., No. 1 plants,
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25; 12
for \$21.00, postpaid.



2301 Ma
Perkins